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Neutrals in New Move to End Conflict

Analysis

Dewitt MacKenzie Interprets Today's News From War Zones

Communist international headquarters in Moscow appears to have decided that this is the appointed hour to strike again for Europe's conversion to the redflag doctrines.

This move had been expected, but a formal effort hadn't been looked for until the war had been given a chance to crack morale in the belligerent countries.

The appeal by the international comintern to the workers of Britain and France to "go against those who favor continuation of imperialistic war" fits perfectly, strange though it seems, with what is understood generally to be that organization's program for world revolution.

I'm afraid we must take the liberty of interpreting this as a decidedly left-handed way to reach war's end.

The seeming paradox of a call for peace meaning a call for revolt ceases to be a contradiction, however, when the comintern operations are studied. Here is the story as we know it:

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When the soviets were born out of the bolshevist revolution in Russia, they immediately created the international, or comintern, as the "general staff of the world revolution."

It was hoped that a general revolt of the masses in all countries could be brought about as the result of conditions resulting from the World war. That was the milk the infant soviets got their start on.

The bolshevists strained every nerve to swing the world with them. They even sold imperial crown-jewels and other priceless relics and used for work abroad money which they desperately needed at home.

Some revolutions indeed were set going, but the scheme as a whole failed. However, the comintern kept its fires burning.

When Stalin came to power in 1924 he decided on a radical change in policy. His program was to make soviet Russia a mighty power first, and let the world revolution wait until a fa-

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Claim Confession From Man Held for Slaying

Belleville, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Accused of the double murder of his wife and daughter, Adolph Bruehl, 44-year-old brewery worker, was held today in the county jail with Assistant State's Attorney Fred J. Bier claiming a confession from him.

The mother, 36, and her 10-year-old daughter, Madeline, were found dead at the Bruehl home near here late yesterday.

Deputy sheriffs, who arrested Bruehl shortly afterward at the home of a neighbor, quoted him as saying, "I admit I shot them. When a fellow gets mad he does things he shouldn't."

Later, Bier said, Bruehl told with outward calm of a quarrel with his wife that led up to the shooting. They had separated last Thursday after being married for 17 years.

Bruehl, who thought his wife and daughter still were alive, although wounded, then was informed they were dead. He exhibited strong emotion. His facial muscles twitched, and he said to deputies, "Now shoot me, will you."

Life Said To Be More Normal Now in Warsaw

Berlin, Nov. 7—(AP)—A letter from a reliable person in Warsaw dated Nov. 3 describing the condition of about 100 Americans still in the Polish city has been seen by The Associated Press correspondent.

"Life gradually is resuming its normal course," the writer said. "Most houses already have water and electric light. One is already permitted to send letters but only to Germany and in the German language. That is why I am not writing you in English. (Presumably this restriction applied only to Poles.)

"It is very difficult to buy postage stamps. Sometimes the post-office doesn't sell any at all and when any are put on sale the public must often stand several hours before the window. I had to stand four hours."

Hope Girl May Give Clue to Missing Judge

New York, Nov. 7—(AP)—Emil K. Ellis, attorney for the widow of the long-missing Supreme Court Justice Joseph Force Crater, said today a girl he believed was June Brice, a former Broadway showgirl, was a patient at the Pilgrim state hospital at Brentwood, Long Island.

"If it is Miss Brice," Ellis added, "I believe she can tell us what happened to Justice Crater."

WOULD PUT FLAG OF PANAMA OVER NINE U. S. SHIPS

Proposal of U. S. Lines Frowned Upon by Sec. of State Hull

Washington, Nov. 7—(AP)—Secretary Hull expressed today his opposition to the transfer to Panamanian registry of United States Lines ships as impairing the integrity of the neutrality act.

Hull said he had given this opinion to the Maritime Commission. He did not indicate what the commission's reaction was.

The United States Lines applied for permission to transfer to Panamanian registry nine ships which had been in transAtlantic service.

After one member of the commission had said yesterday that the transfer had been approved, the full commission issued after a late night session a statement saying it was deferring final action, pending an investigation of all the facts.

At his press conference, Hull recalled that yesterday he had told the Maritime Commission there was no question of foreign policy involved in the transfer, but his opinion was given in the absence of virtually any of the facts.

The secretary of state added that as some of the facts pertaining to the application of the United States Lines for transfer of registry had since come to his attention he did not feel favorably impressed with them.

Would Waive Protection

The ships consist of all but two of those used in transAtlantic service by the United States Lines. If the application is approved, they would be transferred to a Panamanian corporation, would fly the Panama flag, and would have no American citizens in their crews.

"The proposed transfer would divorce the ships involved from any and all protection afforded by the United States flag," said a commission statement.

"Any favorable action would be taken by the maritime commission only upon the definite understanding that operations of the vessels in question can in no way involve the rights of diplomatic protection by the United States or be made the basis of any claim put forward by the government of the United States."

The commission explained that the ships could not carry any crew in the combat areas defined Americans either as passengers or by President Roosevelt. These extend eastward from midAtlantic around the British Isles and all western Europe from Bergen, Norway, to northern Spain.

Should the ships ever be returned to United States registry, the commission added, they could not enter coastwise or intercoastal service.

All the craft, built during or just after the World War, are owned outright by the United States Lines.

Two Under Old Glory

The United States Lines' two largest ships—the Manhattan and the Washington—will remain under the American flag.

Commissioner Max Truitt, discussing the application, expressed the belief that it was a sound situation without "any element of a dodge" from the neutrality act.

Senator Connally (D.-Tex.) told reporters that transfer or registry by some American lines was to be anticipated. Senator Capper (R.-Kans), although terming the proposal a surprise, added that he saw nothing to be alarmed about.

On the other hand, Joseph Curran, president of the National Maritime Union, declared in New York that the company can ignore the collective bargaining contract with us."

"If they put alien seamen on these ships to evade the neutrality law and our union contracts," he

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Nazi Neighbors Apparently Have Evaded Blockade

Washington, Nov. 7—(AP)—Government figures indicated today that Germany's neutral neighbors may have run millions of dollars worth of American goods past the allied blockade to the reich in the first month of the war.

Officials declined to discuss the possibility, but the commerce department published figures showing that although Germany obtained scarcely anything from the United States in September, her neutral neighbors greatly stepped up their purchases here.

In September, 1938, for instance, Germany, Czecho-Slovakia, Denmark, Belgium, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, and Switzerland together bought $34,611,000 from the United States. Of that total, $12,675,000 was bought by Germany alone.

This September, Germany's purchases fell off to $607,000, but the American purchases of the middle European group totaled $33,460,000 — virtually the same as last year.

Neutrals shopped for Germany in the World war, with the result that England and France started rationing them in an attempt to limit their imports to quantities they needed only for themselves.

At least part of the September increase in exports to European neutrals was caused by the disruption of their normal purchases from England, France and Germany.

If Germany sent other countries shopping here in September, the figures indicate that Italy and Russia probably were not so employed. Italy's imports from the United States increased only from $1,158,000 in September, 1938, to $4,834,000 this September, while Russia's imports fell from $5,595,000 to $1,785,000. Spain's imports gained, but this was believed due to the fact Spain is now rebuilding its war wreckage.

German Prize Crew Taken to Fortress

Bergen, Nov. 7—(AP)—Seventeen German seamen, the erstwhile prize crew of the American freighter City of Flint, were removed from the mine layer Olav Trygvason today to be taken to the fortress at Kongsvinger, near the Swedish border.

The Germans, held when Norway returned the City of Flint to her American crew, were expected to leave on tonight's train for the trip across southern Norway.

An eighteenth German originally in the prize crew became ill and was left at Murmansk, soviet Russian port at which the Flint stopped after her capture October 9 by a German raider.

The American crew, granted no shore leave, was busy putting the ship in order.

Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, United States minister to Norway, and Maurice P. Dunlap, consul at Bergen, who visited the ship yesterday, declined to discuss disposition of the cargo or departure plans.

Subject for Mother's Day Pictures is Dead

Shelbyville, Ind., Nov. 7—(AP)—Mrs. Adelia Parrish, whose countenance was known to thousands of persons throughout the middle west, died last night at the age of 94 years.

She was the subject of a Mother's Day picture widely circulated last year. Mrs. Parrish posed for the picture at a local studio and it was used by many firms in their Mother's Day decoration motifs.

Mrs. Parrish observed her 94th birthday Oct. 27. She was given a tribute in a special broadcast over Cincinnati radio station WLW.

LAND NEAR CITY WILL BE SCENE OF GUARD DRILL

Intensive Field Training Will Be Conducted Week-Ends

About 200 acres of land with wooded tracts, fields and rolling country northwest of here has been secured by officers of Company A, 129th infantry of this city, for maneuvers to be held during November. Through the generosity of Frank Randall, who controls the Plum Hollow golf course, Harold and Leslie Coss and George Covert, 180 acres of land has been donated for use of the Guardsmen.

The Dixon company will use this area on two occasions for defense maneuvers of two-day periods each and on Nov. 24, 25 and 26, battalion maneuvers will be conducted. In the latter maneuvers approximately 500 officers and soldiers will concentrate at the Dixon armory for the three day maneuver. The troops will be housed and fed at the armory, where field kitchens will be set up, and from which the strict military movements will be directed.

Buy Supplies Here

Officers of Company A and the battalion are now making arrangements with Dixon merchants to furnish supplies for the soldiers during the three day concentration drill. The troops will be quartered at the Armory and all operations will begin from this central location. It is also probable that some of the mauevers will extend to the Lost Nation section northeast of Dixon, officers of the local company said today.

The Dixon company will start Saturday on a two day maneuver which will have its origin at the Armory. Members of the company will be notified of the method of maneuver or the location of operations until they proceed in heavy marching order, with all equipment. The company will engage in two week end maneuvers before the battalion is concentrated for the three-day defense drill.

Mayor of Dixon Proclaims Nov. 23 Thanksgiving

Mayor William V. Slothower, following the lead set by President Roosevelt and Governor Henry Horner, today proclaimed Thursday, Nov. 23, as Thanksgiving Day in Dixon. His proclamation follows:

"The past year our city and the community surrounding it, have been most truly blessed.

"Many physical improvements, either completed or under construction and our manufacturing and business establishments, have provided gainful employment for the majority of our citizens; our farms have produced a bountiful crop of food; we have been free from pestilence and disease.

"With many of the nations of the world torn by war our's remains at peace.

"By the power delegated to me, I proclaim Thursday, November 23rd a holiday on which we especially give thanks to Almighty God, the Supreme Ruler of all and everything, for these countless blessings.

Select Jury to Probe Epidemic at Manteno

Kankakee, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Six women and 17 men were selected today for the grand jury which will begin an inquiry Monday into the typhoid epidemic at Manteno state hospital.

Samuel Shapiro, state's attorney, said in announcing the investigation that he would seek malfeasance, misfeasance and possibly manslaughter indictments against A. L. Bowen, state director of public welfare; Dr. Ralph Hinton, suspended managing officer of the hospital, and Lillian Williams, hospital dietician.

The jury list included Walter Bratton, brother of Circuit Judge Luther Bratton, former Mayor Roy Taylor of Kankakee, and Charles Entwhistle, city plumbing inspector.

Rites for John Fellows Wednesday Afternoon

Funeral services for John Fellows who passed away Monday at his home, 723 Peoria avenue, will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the residence. The Rev. Herbert J. Doran, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. R. W. Ford of the Christian church, will officiate and interment will be in Chapel Hill Memorial park. The obituary will be published later.

Orator of Day

THE REV. DR. F. C. VOET

Warren, Ill., Catholic priest and Department Chaplain of the American Legion, State of Illinois, who will be the orator of the day at the annual observance of Armistice Day at the Dixon high school Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Terse News

LICENSED IN DAVENPORT

A marriage license has been issued in Davenport, Iowa to Maynard Bulthaus, Byron, Ill., and Marguerite Kerrison, Rockford, Ill.

FIRST CONCERT

The first attraction of the Dixon Concert League's program for the winter season will be presented by the Graff Ballet at the Dixon high school at 8 o'clock this evening.

CONTRACTORS TO MEET

The Dixon Building Contractors Association will hold its annual meeting this evening at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Dixon. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock to be followed by the annual business meeting.

MEETING OMITTED

Because of the performance of the Graff Ballet this evening in the Dixon high school auditorium, tonight's meeting for Miss Leone Ortt's music appreciation group of Girl Scouts will be omitted.

DIES IN OREGON

Mrs. M. M. Wilson of Portland, Ore., passed away Friday evening at her home. Mrs. Wilson had many friends in Dixon having visited here on numerous occasions with her sister, Mrs. Anna J. Rees of 423 Second avenue.

LICENSED IN CLINTON

Marriage licenses have been issued in Clinton, Iowa to Ralph H. Chesmore, Oregon, Ill., and Ruth Winters, Dixon, Ill.; George Edward and Marian Glessner, Dixon, Ill.; William Miller, Sycamore, Ill., and Helen Law, Rochelle, Ill.

IN CIRCUIT COURT

Judge Leon A. Zick of Oregon was presiding in Circuit Court today at a hearing in which Harry E. Butler of Bradford township is suing the Great Lakes Pipe Line Company for damages. The action involves alleged damage to a farm due to a leak in the line in 1931 when the defendant is alleged to have closed a drainage district ditch, causing flooding of land planted in corn. Attorneys Fremont Kauf-

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Funeral of William Long Thursday Morn

The funeral of William J. Long of Harmon, whose death early Monday morning at the Hines Veterans' hospital was announced in last evening's Telegraph, will be held at his late home in Harmon at 9 o'clock Thursday morning and at St. Flannen's Catholic church at 9:30. Burial will be in Holy Cross cemetery, Harmon, with Dixon post No. 12, American Legion having charge of the services at the grave.

ARMISTICE DAY PROGRAM BEGINS WITH 9:30 PARADE

Exercises at High School Will Take But Hour Saturday Morn

Plans for the observance of Armistice Day by Dixon Post, American Legion, all patriotic organizations and the citizens of the community were announced today by Commander Gerald Jones of the local Post and the committee in charge of the program.

The services will be held in the high school auditorium commencing at 10 o'clock and will terminate at 11 o'clock with services at the flag pole on the high school grounds. The Rev. F. C. Voet of Warren, department chaplain of the American Legion for the state of Illinois, will deliver the address of the day. The officers of the local post feel they are extremely fortunate in obtaining a department officer of the caliber of Father Voet to deliver the Legion message. Father Voet has a state-wide reputation as an orator and the Legion members who have heard him in the past are enthusiastic concerning his appearance in Dixon. He served in the World war before entering the priesthood and has a varied experience which qualifies him highly for his activity in Legion circles.

All Invited

The services at the high school will be open to the public and an urgent invitation is extended to all of the citizens of the community to co-operate with the Legion in observing Armistice Day. In view of the chaotic condition throughout the world today it is believed that patriotic programs on Armistice Day will assist in relieving the tension under which citizens are living now.

The Legion has definitely gone on record as favoring strict neutrality in the present European crisis and is asking the co-operation of the public in furtherance of this program. All patriotic organizations of the city are cordially invited by the Legion to assist in the program.

Details of Program

The Legion members, members of other veteran organizations and patriotic organizations, are requested to assemble at the Elks club at 9:20 Saturday morning to march to the high school headed by the Dixon Municipal band. The printed program which is being distributed to the citizens of the community went to press before this change was decided upon and all Legion members are requested to note the fact that the parade will start at the Elks club rather than at the Legion hall. The open house at the Legion hall which is also noted in the program is also to be disregarded as the Legion no longer maintains quarters at the Legion hall.

The details of the program require that the parade move at 9:30 so that all may be in their places in the auditorium to open the program at 10 o'clock. In addition to the address by Father Voet the program provides for selections by the Dixon Municipal band; selections by the Dixon high school mixed glee club, composed of 75 students; reading of the roll call of deceased veterans and the Forty & Eight memorial services based on the Unknown Soldier's

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Elsie's Knees

Reno, Nov. 7—(AP)—Handbills, showed upon the University of Nevada campus, proclaiming "We want to See Elsie's Knees!" brought results.

The student protest followed an admonition by university authorities to Miss Elsie Crabtree and her five assistants that their costumes were too abbreviated and that some of their acrobatic stunts were "unnecessary and unladylike."

Miss Crabtree said yesterday she had been told it would be "all right" if the girls wore skirts one inch above the knee.

She made no reference to the acrobatics and university officials dismissed the matter with "no comment."

Nazi Pamphlets Investigated by Federal Bureau

New York, Nov. 7—(AP)—Propaganda pamphlets charging that Great Britain supplied Poles with poison gas used against German soldiers last September have been mailed from Berlin to thousands of residents in several American cities.

Pamphlets were received in Boston, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Newark and a number of other New Jersey communities.

The Newark office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation acknowledged it had been informed of the propaganda flood but refused comment.

The Philadelphia Inquirer said it had learned the FBI was seeking a "prominent Philadelphian" for questioning concerning mailing lists believed supplied to the German government for propaganda purposes.

New York City postal officials said a shipment of the letters had arrived Saturday aboard the Italian liner Vulcania but that none apparently were distributed in New York.

They said the addresses apparently had been obtained from city and telephone directories.

A majority of the leaflets in Boston were delivered to a building where the German consulate formerly occupied offices. At Clifton, N. J., postal authorities held up the 500 letters received there and appealed to the post office department in Washington for a ruling.

Most of the pamphlets, mailed October 18, from Berlin, were addressed by hand.

They listed five instances in which mustard gas was alleged to have been discovered in conquered Polish territory and said the truth of the German contention had been proved by the "report of the Swiss professor Rudolf Staehelin of Basle" as well as the "evidence given by such eye witnesses" as American newspaper correspondents.

Kansas City Auditor's Predicament Puzzling

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Police today puzzled over the predicament of John Fredman, 41-year-old Kansas City, Mo., auditor, who lay seriously ill of exposure in Springfield hospital. Fredman was also apparently suffering from amnesia.

Police Officer Patrick O'Brien said that he and Policeman J. P. Kessinger found Fredman about Saturday noon wandering dazedly in a field near Sherman, a few miles north of here. Nearby, his automobile was parked, its ignition wires disconnected.

O'Brien said Fredman's body bore no marks of violence.

The victim's brother, Harry, a Kansas City lawyer, said that about $68 was missing from the auditor's pockets.

The policemen said they were told by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bowen of Springfield that Fredman had visited them about noon Friday and left after about an hour saying he intended to return to Kansas City. Harry Fredman said his brother had been in Chicago for a short vacation.

Naval Plane Crashes In Flames; One Killed

Honolulu, Nov. 7—(AP)—A naval observation plane burst into flames in diving practice yesterday and crashed into the sea off Barber's point.

The observer was missing but his companion was saved.

The plane was from the aircraft carrier Enterprise.

The pilot, picked up by a naval crash boat after he had managed to stay afloat 40 minutes, was Lieut. Junior Grade W. R. Wallis. He suffered only slight burns about the face and forearms.

The observer was identified as Chief Aviationists' Mate W. T. Rhodes of San Diego, Calif.

DUTCH, BELGIANS PROFFER OFFICES TO BRING PEACE

Note Follows Conferences Between Leopold and Wilhelmina

War in Brief

(By The Associated Press)

Moscow—Soviet military might parade through Red Square marking 22nd anniversary of bolshevist revolution; Vorishiloff says Russia "must be prepared."

The Hague—King of Belgians visits Queen Wilhelmina; they offer good offices to bring peace.

Berlin—German high command eroprts three allied planes downed on western front.

Paris—French say they hold Forbach salient despite German artillery fire.

Amsterdam, Nov. 7—(AP)—Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands and King Leopold of the Belgians announced today they would send messages to Germany, Britain and France jointly offering their good offices for peace.

The offer to be made to the heads of state of the warring powers will be as follows, an official announcement said:

"In the hour of anxious tension for the world, before war in western Europe begins with full power, we are convinced we are duty obligated to make our voices heard again.

"The belligerents declared some time ago that they were not disinclined to examine a reasonable and fixed basis of a reasonable peace.

"We consider that in the actual circumstances it is difficult for the belligerents to seek contact with one another, and as the sovereigns of two neutral states which have good relations with all their neighbors, we are willing to offer our good offices.

"In case they are accepted, we are willing to use all means which the belligerents give us and which we possess to find, in the spirit of friendly understanding, factors to facilitate an agreement.

"This appears to be our task for the welfare of our peoples and for the whole world.

"We hope our offer will be accepted and that in this way the first step will be taken toward permanent peace."

The announcement was issued shortly after King Leopold departed for Brussels following a surprise conference with the queen which started last night.

Accompanied by his foreign minister, Paul Hendi Spaak, Leopold conferred with Wilhelmina until a late hour last night and had a second talk with her this morning.

FROM OTHER CAPITALS

(By The Associated Press)

Soviet Russia's revolutionary

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DuPage Co. Sheriff New Title Claimant

Wheaton, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Elmer J. Hoffman, DuPage county's 280-pound sheriff, weighed in his staff of deputies today and laid claim to the state heavyweight championship.

Hoffman and five of his assistants average 249 pounds each, the sheriff calculated. His force of 20 deputies averages 196.7 pounds. This outweighed the claim of Macon county, whose sheriff put in a bid for the avoirdupois title last week.

Hoffman attributed the size of his stalwarts to "clean living, lots of hard work, and fresh air." He denied heatedly that any of his men was overweight.

WPA Grant for Mendota Park Work Is Approved

(Telegraph Special Service)

Mendota, Nov. 7—Mayor Jacob Spanier has received word from U. S. Senators James M. Slattery and Scott W. Lucas of a $254.49 Works Progress Administration fund to complete improvements on Mendota Recreation park. Outdoor fireplace and shelter houses will be constructed. When completed this park will serve for picnic, swimming, boating and other diversions.

Mrs. George Manges Dies This Afternoon

Mrs. George Manges, 1049 Highland avenue, passed away at her home at about 1 o'clock this afternoon. Funeral arrangements will be announced tomorrow. Mrs. Manges is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Carter and Mrs. Ruth Graybill, and a son, Harry.

Capital Society Worries Over Attending Russian Embassy Function

Washington, Nov. 7—(AP)—Not since the British embassy's royal garden fete has a capital party created such a furore as today's 22nd anniversary celebration of the Russian revolution at the soviet embassy.

Last June, officials and their wives who were not invited to greet the British monarchs fumed over the omission. Today, congressmen and diplomats invited to the soviet reception worried over whether they should attend.

At the party hour of 4 p. m. (C. S. T.) drew near, capital social circles were divided on the function's prospects. Some predicted that few persons of importance would attend.

The 1,000 invitations for the affair went out on the heels of soviet Premier Molotoff's recent speech criticizing President Roosevelt for "intervening" in Russia's negotiations with Finland.

Immediately some senators and house members let it be known that they had sent regrets for the soviet party, for which the host is Dmitri S. Chuvakhin, charge d'affaires in the absence of Ambassador Oumansky, now enroute here from Moscow.

Rep. May (D-Ky) announced that he preferred to do his celebrating on the Fourth of July.

the Weather

TUESDAY, NOV. 7, 1939

(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and Vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday somewhat colder; lowest temperature tonight about 36; mostly moderate northwest winds.

Iowa: Generally fair and somewhat colder tonight and Wednesday.

Wisconsin: Mostly cloudy, slightly colder tonight; Wednesday: generally fair.

Illinois: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; slightly colder tonight; somewhat colder.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 6 p. m. Monday: maximum temperature 56, minimum 29; clear. Wednesday: sun rises at 6:37; sets at 4:50.

Airlines' Plans to Rescue Little Bird from Freezing Come to Naught

Pittsburgh, Nov. 7—(AP)—A timid little awl-billed bird flew the airlines back to Detroit today, saved by chance from what might have been its doom instead of an intended haven.

A Pennsylvania Central Airlines employe who found the tiny creature shivering in a Detroit filling station yesterday took it to be a humming bird which the Detroit zoo said certainly should have left for tropical Brazil two months ago.

Twentieth century transportation was decided upon to enable the handful of feathers to catch up with nature. Three big airlines hurriedly arranged to transport the bird to South America.

Photographers rushed to the airport here to take pictures of the first humingbird ever to migrate by plane. A nature study class assembled quickly for a glimpse of the prize.

Then after the bird continued toward Washington, development of photographs disclosed the hummingbird wasn't that at all. Naturalists said it was a brown creeper, native of the north, and predicted it would fall victim to a heat stroke in South America.

This news resulted in the migration by plane ending at Washington, where the strange passenger in its cardboard box was transferred to a Detroit-bound ship.

Of Interest to Farmers

D. H. S. Chapter

By LEROY SIDEN, Reporter

The F. F. A. held its monthly meeting Thursday, Nov. 2. Every year the F. F. A. organizes a basketball team to participate with other ag teams in nearby towns. Bill Killian was elected captain and Neil Bowers was made manager of the team. A decision was made also about the F. F. A. emblems and uniforms for the members in the coming judging contests.

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Orval Gearhart, a Dixon high school student, attended the meeting and gave a very interesting talk on his trip to Europe in 1937. He discussed some of his experiences through his visits in the various countries and their conditions.

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Dr. Collins, the new veterinarian of Dixon, gave an interesting talk to the junior and senior ag class on the cure and prevention of disease in livestock. Dr. Collins pointed out the fact that vaccination of livestock is done only to control the worst diseases. He discussed that a good, balanced ration and sanitation are the best safeguards agains most diseases. He also explained that veterinarians mean to prevent disease rather than cure them.

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The F. F. A. boys last week gained more knowledge pertaining to soil acidity. They found, through their studies that some farmers get the idea that limestone can be used extensively on any crop to produce large yields, but this is wrong in every way. Lime is used to sweeten the soil to grow legume crops only. It will not ordinarily increase yields of our common grain crops enough to pay for the cost of the limestone. It must be remembered that limestone is not a fertilizer but a neutralizer of the soil.

In addition to knowledge on soil acidity the vocational agriculture club gained a few very important facts on hay raising. The problem of good hay raising has been quite an event to many farmers. According to the story the weighing age for pigs in the Indiana market hog show had to be changed from 180 to 170 days because, growers were making use of the John Schwab method and were making them too big. When Illinois brought out a system of balancing corn with protein supplement growers were told they could expect 200-pound pigs in six months time if they gave good attention. This sounded a bit too good to come farmers who were used to nine months old pigs at this same weight. Btu Indiana said that "you can't beat legume pasture, shelled corn and tankage in self-feeders for making pigs to market size." The results of this method made the farmers who adopted the Illinois plan say that it was all wrong and couldn't be done but it was done.

Homer Whitehair and his son James live in Delaware county, Indiana. The father is noted for good hog production and has held his outstanding record for a number of years. His system was the same as the Illinois routine. He has good stock and had very little trouble in producing 200-pound litter averages at 180 days. James decided to enter the show and put his litter of 10 pigs farrowed February 18, with his father's litters. They remained in a banked A-type sow lot at the farmstead more than two weeks and then were moved with the mother and the house to a small patch of bluegrass turf. A self-feeder was set up in the new lot and filled with a special pig starter, most of which was composed of seven parts finely ground yellow corn, two parts crushed wheat and one part protein supplement. This ration was used on pigs before they were weaned but it was used as part of the feeding program for these litters and right away larger and thriftier pigs resulted at the age of eight weeks. James kept on feeding his litter after eight weeks while his father changed to his regular method routine of corn and tankage with his litters. At the end of 171 days, believe it or not, James' Chester whites averaged 248 pounds and a barrow that really had over-done it, tipped the scale at 286 pounds. The heaviest pigs from his father's litter averaged only 225 pounds at 188 days. This striking result of young Whitehair's experience will get farmers aiming at 200-pound pigs at five months.

Young Whitehair's ration was composed of 20 pounds of tankage, 20 pounds of fish meal, 40 of soybean meal, 10 of linseed meal and 10 of cottonseed meal for spring pigs. This is varied for winter by taking out 10 pounds of the soy bean meal and adding 10 pounds of alfalfa meal.

Castration, weaning and vaccination play a very important part in obtaining heavier pigs. Castrating and vaccinating should take place before weaning to prevent set-backs. Castrating at four weeks is a rather tedious method but the pig at that age hardly bleeds and will heal in a few days. Vaccinating at five weeks and weaning at seven weeks has proven practical. This Indiana method of feeding has made Illinois come to Indiana to get good market pigs instead of Indiana coming to Illinois.

Ohio, Ill., Youth Is Among Judges

It's no mystery to these students from the University of Illinois College of Agriculture why lamb chops are tender and juicy. They know the secrets of good lamb and proved it by winning first honors in lamb judging during the annual intercollegiate meat judging contest at the American Royal Livestock show in Kansas City, Mo. Eight other colleges and universities competed.

Left to right in the picture are: Jean Lutz, Astoria; Richard Albrecht, Ohio; R. S. Glasscock, coach; Raymond Seltzer, Elmwood,a nd Norman Richards, Olney, alternate.

GENTRY HERD IS TOPS IN REPORT IN OGLE COUNTY

The Ogle County Dairy Herd Improvement association average for October was 622 pounds of milk and 22.8 pounds of fat with 364 cows on test from 25 herds. Seventy-six of the 364 cows on test were dry. During the month 10 unprofitable cows were sold to the butcher and seven cows bought for dairy purposes. Forty-eight cows each produced over 40 pounds of fat. The separators were losing over .05 percent.

The five high herds, listed according to owner, number and breed, average pounds of milk, average pounds of fat, number of dry cows, were, as follows:

Lee M. Gentry, 38 registered Holsteins, 945 lbs. milk; 34.8 lbs. fat, 3 dry cows.

Clarence Ratmeyer, nine grade Holsteins; 1103 lbs. milk; 32.7 lbs. fat; two dry cows.

Grover Thomas, 12 grade and registered Holsteins, 839 lbs. milk; 30.9 lbs. fat; two dry cows.

J. S. Hughes, 15 grade and registered Holsteins, 808 lbs. milk; 29.4 lbs. fat; 1 dry cow.

Getzendaner Farm, 20 registered Holsteins, 916 lbs. milk; 28.6 lbs. fat; two dry cows.

All the cows listed above were milked twice daily.

The five high cows listed according to owner, breed, pounds of milk, and pounds of fat, were:

Richard Magee, registered Holstein, 2074 lbs. milk; 87.1 lbs. fat.

J. W. Hemingway, registered Holstein, 1792 lbs. milk; 71.7 lbs. fat.

Lee M. Gentry, registered Holstein, 1581 lbs. milk; 63.2 lbs. fat.

Forrest Gillespie, registered Holstein, 1578 lbs. milk; 63.1 lbs. fat.

Grover Thomas, registered Holstein, 1711 lbs. milk; 61.6 lbs. fat.

All the above cows were milked twice daily.

There has in almost every instance been little or no pasture this fall and due to this fact quite a number have opened their silos early. If a cow is allowed to slump in production at this time of the year, having freshened in the summer, she can very rarely be brought back up as winter comes on and she is fed entirely on dry feed. Therefore it is a good policy to feed some roughage, hay or silage at this time of the year to go with what little pasture there is. A number of farmers have started to leave the herd in nights and some have stopped letting them out to pasture altogether and are feeding all dry feed to them.

Willis H. Turner,
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Franz Schubert used the guitar to work on his compositions, being too poor to own a piano.

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FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER to POULTRY RAISERS

Dear Friends:

Beginning this week "Let's Talk Turkey" will be one of the short subjects included in movie programs all over the country.

I saw a preview of it the other day and although the movie industry isn't concerned over our problems and made the film purely for entertainment, I think that indirectly it's going to help sell a lot of the 32,000,000 turkeys that have been raised this year.

Everyone gets a big laugh out of the young husband's struggle to carve a turkey in front of his wife's critical relatives and seems interested when an expert demonstrates how easy it is—if you know how.

Twenty million persons are expected to see this film and I'll miss my guess if it doesn't make a lot of them so hungry for turkey they will go out and buy one.

When you consider that the biggest crop of turkeys ever produced in this country has to be sold within the next few weeks, I think everyone raising poultry can well say thanks to the movie industry for the publicity.

Turkeys Selling Well

Even if you don't have any turkeys yourself, you are affected by the market for them, because the price of one type of poultry always influences the prices being paid for all other kinds.

It's important that as many turkeys as possible should be eaten between now and the first of the year, because if more are left than would normally be used next spring and summer, it will hurt the market for all poultry next year.

It seems to me that every magazine and newspaper I pick up has an ad or an article calling attention to the fact that turkeys are a good buy. When anything is repeated constantly, it's bound to make an impression. The price at which turkeys are being sold in the stores looks good to women who must watch how much they spend for food, and they have bought a lot of turkeys already this fall.

In some places I understand they are buying them for Thanksgiving on the installment plan. For several weeks now they have been paying the butcher 50 cents a week and when Thanksgiving arrives, their turkeys will be all paid for!

There's always something new—and that's the latest! What interested me most was that one corner grocer, who is accepting these installment payments, has already sold fifty-four turkeys for Thanksgiving!

Sincerely yours,
Frank Priebe

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FRANK PRIEBE,
110 North Franklin, Chicago)

Prepares Report On Farm Outlook

P. E. JOHNSTON, agricultural economics extension, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

First reports on the outlook for agriculture and farm family living during 1940 will be made at 19 district outlook conferences which have been arranged for December 11 to 22, according to a schedule announced by Dean H. P. Rusk of the University of Illinois College of Agriculture.

Schedule of the meeting is: Pekin and Olney, December 11; Monmouth, Mt. Vernon and Paris, 12; Rushville, Harrisburg, 13; Jacksonville, Carbondale and Bloomington, 14; Carlinville and Belleville, 15; Kankakee, 18; LaSalle and Taylorville, 19; Rockford and Vandalia, 21; and Geneva, 22.

Attending the meetings will be delegations of farm men and women and the farm and home advisers from the counties represented in these districts. Farm men and women attending the meetings will be local leaders who are assisting farm and home advisers in spreading the outlook information. Following the district sessions, they will return to their home communities and conduct meetings among their neighbors at which time the facts of the outlook will be discussed.

Prior to the series of district outlook meetings, three staff members of the University of Illinois College of Agriculture will attend a national outlook meeting in Washington, D. C. At that time representatives from the various states and from the U. S. Department of Agriculture will review present conditions and future prospects preparatory to drawing up a national outlook report.

An Illinois state outlook report will be prepared following the return of the three from Washington. They are P. E. Johnston, associate chief in agricultural economics; L. H. Simerl, associate in agricultural marketing extension, and Miss Gladys Ward, assistant professor of home management extension.

Lee County Hog Raiser Receives Market Peak

Charles Schafer, prominent feeder of Lee county who farms near Ashton, received the extreme top price in the Tuesday trade at the Chicago stock yards last week for a drove of 30 choice Hampshire butcher hogs averaging 255 pounds per head. They were sold without sorting at $7.00 per cwt.

Albert Butler is Second In Corn Growing Contest

Albert Butler of Sublette has been informed by the DeKalb Agricultural association that he placed second in Lee county in the corn growing contest. On the basis of the figres that were submitted to the association's office, Mr. Butler's yield was 133.78 bushels per acre.

New Jersey reduced highway deaths from 1278 in 1937 to 885 in 1928.

Young Lee County Farm Boy Will Exhibit His Stock at Exposition

Two Hereford baby beeves will be shown by Glenn Hill, a 15-year-old Lee county farm boy, in the junior live stock classes of the 1939 International Livestock Exposition. He has sent word that he is fitting two steer calves of his own raising on his father's farm near Dixon.

The junior show will feature an exhibition of beeves, lambs, and pigs shown by farm boys and girls from most of the midwestern states, as well as from the south, the east coast and Montana and Wyoming. The competition will include approximately 500 animals, officials of the event have said.

A record entry is predicted by the management when a final tally of exhibits is made later in the month. The advance entry is the heaviest in the history of the show, with exhibits listed to date by stockmen from 32 states and Canada.

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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON PRODUCTION CREDIT

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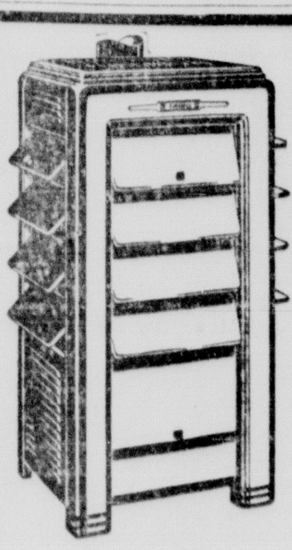

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Society News

Ashton Couple Give Travelogue for Dixon Club

An illustrated travelogue on various countries and islands visited by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schade of Ashton on their world cruise was a delightful program offering at last evening's Guest Night meeting of the Practical club. Mrs. C. A. Mellott of 804 Chula Vista was hostess for the evening.

The Schades first gave their impressions of Hawaii, with its miles of palms and thousands of acres of pineapple plantations, and colorful Waikiki beach. Afterward, their lecture itinerary took their audience to Egypt, with its mosques, camel caravans, the river Nile, (bordered on one side with governmental buildings and on the other side, with palms and vegetation), and gigantic pyramids which have towered above the desert for five-thousand years; to India, where throngs worship daily in the sacred Ganges river, while others pay homage at the country's 20,000 shrines and temples; and finally to the Isle of Bali, often referred to as "The Paradise of the Pacific."

In Bali, the Ashton couple were impressed with wide stretches of rice fields made fertile by an extravagant flow of volcanic mud, the talent of the Balinese dancers and orchestra members, the temple of Basaki, said to be the most beautiful in the world, and the gardens and spice trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Schade displayed numerous souvenirs from their world cruise, including carved figurines from Sumatra, representing an entire orchestra, hand-woven silk tapestries from India, hand-carved paper knives of ivory, beads, and many unusual art pieces. They concluded their travel talk with pictures of their voyage through a storm on the Pacific, snow-capped Mt. Ranier, and the American Rockies.

A buffet lunch was served by Mrs. Mellott, assisted by Mrs. Street and Mrs. Whitson. Mrs. E. V. Mellott and Mrs. Harry Stephan presided at the coffee urns at the chrysanthemum-trimmed refreshment table.

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BOARD MEETING

Mrs. Earl Auman and Mrs. George Christianson were co-hostesses to board members of the Dixon Woman's club last evening at the Auman home. Mrs. J. R. McDaniel, the vice president, conducted the business session, which was followed by refreshments. Sixteen members attended.

The American citizenship and international relations department is arranging a program for the club's regular meeting on Saturday.

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REVEAL MARRIAGE AT ROCHELLE

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blank of Rochelle announce the marriage of their daughter, Elaine, to Charles Keith Bemis, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Bemis of Oregon, Friday, Nov. 3.

A SON

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lennon, Sr. of 703 Brinton avenue have received word of the birth of a son, John Barry, 111, to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lennon, Jr., of Chicago last evening at Chicago Lying-In hospital. The baby's mother is the former Miss Lila Kendall of Chicago. Mr. Lennon is research chemist with the Walgreen company.

John Barry, III is the Dixon couple's first grandchild.

Dixon Camera Club is Represented in Rockford Exhibit

Three prints by members of the Rock River Camera club of Dixon are on view at the tenth annual salon of the pictorial photograph division of the Rockford Art association, which opened yesterday in Burpee gallery at Rockford.

The pictures include "Bread" by Mrs. Carl Buchner, Jr., and "The Bite" and "Anglers Two" by Arnold LaCour, president of the Rock River club. A copy of Mrs. Buchner's print is being displayed in The Telegraph bulletin window with other prize-winning prints in the October contest of the local club.

Last evening's meeting of the local camera club was postponed for one week, in favor of a visit to the Rockford salon, where Dr. Max Thorek, head surgeon of the American hospital in Chicago, addressed the group on "Sanitay in Art." Visitors were present from a number of neighboring clubs.

Those attending from Dixon were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold La Cour, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buchner, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Russo, Miss Catheryn Buchner, Durward Brader, Corbus Hoffman, Louis Wilhelm, and Elwin Wadsworth. Raymond Brown, construction engineer for the treasury department, who has been spending some time in Oregon, and who spoke here recently, was also present.

Next Monday evening, members of the Dixon club will be viewing prints submitted for the November contest. "Architecture" is to be the theme for the exhibit.

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SORORITY GROUP PLANS DINNER

Beta Sigma Phis of Gamma Mu chapter planned a dinner meeting for Nov. 20 when they met at the Chamber of Commerce last evening. Miss Edith Ites presided.

Miss Mary Margaret Hill led a discussion on "Means of Expression Through the Ages," and Miss Alice Crandall spoke on "Relation of Language to Culture."

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NACHUSA CIRCLE

The Misses Gertrude Tull and Leona Heberlein will be hostesses to the Nachusa Teacher's Reading circle this evening. They will entertain at the Nachusa Lutheran Orphanage.

Chicago Pianist Gives Recital at Dixon High School

Willis Charkovsky, youthful Chicago pianist whose name seems destined to occupy an important place in the pianistic sphere, again demonstrated his mastery of the keyboard yesterday afternoon in a recital presented for Dixon high school students in the Dixon high school auditorium.

At the same time, Mr. Charkovsky demonstrated for his enthusiastic young audience that classical music need not be uninteresting, nor popular music, unworthy. It was evident that his program was selected with that particular mission in mind, and the result was a musical treat for members of his student audience, who were eager to call the young artist back to the platform for additional numbers.

Three compositions by Charkovsky himself were included on the program. They were a march, "America for Americans", Black Night," and incidental music for the play, "Shadow Dance."

The remainder of the program fare consisted of seven Chopin preludes, Nos. 3, 4, 7, 8, 10, 12, and 16, De Rose's "Deep Purple,' the Scriabine Sonata No. 4 "Park Avenue Phantasy by Malneck, the Ravel Toccata, and "Jumping at the Woodside" by Basie.

The pianist appeared at Mt. St. Clair academy in Clinton, Iowa last evening, and entertained students of the Rochelle high school this afternoon. Vincent Carney of Rochelle, president of the Dixon Music club, whose members have been privileged to hear the young pianist on previous occasions, introduced Mr. Charkovsky to his student audience here yesterday.

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MERRY MAIDS

Merry Maids were guests of Mrs. Mary Hill at a scramble supper party last evening at the Frank Hoyle residence at Plum Hollow. During the evening's business meeting, conducted by Mrs. Clarence Cochran, plans were discussed for the club's Christmas party next month.

Tables were placed for games of 500, with score favors going to Mrs. George Alshouse, Jr., Miss Evelyn Graf, and Mrs. Cochran. Afterward, the group was entertained with piano and vocal music, and a dance presented by Mrs. Robert Hammerstrom and Mrs. Alshouse.

Mrs. Hammerstrom will entertain at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. A. Howe, on Nov. 20.

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CHAPTER AC HAS BOOK REVIEW

Mrs. William Haefliger reviewed Professor Canby's biography of Thoreau for members of Chapter AC, P. E. O. Sisterhood, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. S. W. Lehman and Mrs. F. X. Newcomer entertained at the former's home on Dement avenue.

Refreshments were served, following the program.

Mrs. A. H. Lancaster and Mrs. Herbert Nichols are to be the next hostesses.

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COMPLIMENTS MRS. WEISS

Mrs. A. H. Lancaster entertained informally at bridge last evening for Mrs. John Weiss, of Champaign, who has been her guest since Sunday. The visitor, who resided here until recently, expected to return to her home this afternoon, following the Guest Day meeting of the Phidian Art club.

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LITERARY CLUB

Mrs. W. C. Moser, 413 East Fourth street, will be hostess to members of the Twentieth Century Literary club on Thursday evening. Mrs. Joy Diehl will read a paper.

Marionettes Will Perform at Ashton

The Thurston Marionettes will perform for the amusement of the public on Friday evening at the Mills and Petrie Memorial gymnasium in Ashton. The grade grammar room of the school is sponsoring the show, which is scheduled for 7:45 o'clock.

The lordly Billy Goats Gruff will appear, "trip-trapping" arrogantly across the grouchy Troll's bridge. Other variety features by animated puppets will precede and follow the Gruff Goats' migration into greener pastures.

Miss Helene Thurston, whose agile fingers control the movements of her miniature performers, has had a brilliant success as a puppeteer, creating her own puppet characters and writing her own script. She achieves a production that engrosses adults as well as children, and has been received enthusiastically throughout this country and Canada.

The school orchestra and soloists will entertain during intermissions.

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DINNER CLUB

Dr. and Mrs. George McGraham entertained their scramble supper club of 12 last evening. Three tables were placed for contract bridge, with Mrs. E. O. Miller and Mrs. H. W. Leydig winning favors.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kennedy are to be the next hosts.

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DIXON CIRCLE

Relief reports were given by several members at yesterday's meeting of Dixon circle, Ladies of the G. A. R. A scramble supper, auction, and games were planned for the next meeting.

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AFTERNOON UNIT

Mrs. Calvin J. Brown, 806 Galena avenue, will be hostess to Dixon Afternoon unit at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

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POSTPONE MEETING

The meeting which members of the Dixon Household club were to have held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Raymond Hodges, has been postponed until Nov. 16.

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ROCKFORD GUEST

Mrs. A. W. Hoyt of Rockford will arrive tomorrow for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss at "Whithorne."

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SUNSHINE CLUB

Mrs. Walter Ortgiesen will entertain at an all-day meeting of the Sunshine club on Thursday.

Calendar

Tuesday

Graff Ballet — Will open artist series of Dixon Concert League, in Dixon high school auditorium, 8 P. M.

Baldwin Auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans—In G. A. R. hall, 7:30 P. M.

Guild, First Christian church — "Something Old; Something New" program for all women of the church, 7:30 P. M.

Golden Rule class, St. Paul's Lutheran church—Miss Bernice Good, 1208 Peoria avenue, hostess.

South Dixon Reading circle Mrs. William Shippert, hostess, 7:45 p. m.

Women's Auxiliary, Presbyterian church—Mrs. Willard Thompson, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Nurse's Alumnae association — Business meeting at Nurses Home, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday

Harmon Home Bureau unit —Mrs. A. B. Clatworthy, hostess.

Prairieville Social circle—Mrs. Roman Wolf, hostess.

Palmyra Mutual Aid society—At Mrs. Leroy Buhler's home.

South Dixon Community club—All-day meeting and covered dish luncheon at Mrs. Carl Blum's home.

Dixon unit, American Legion Auxiliary—At G. A. R. hall, 2:30 p. m.

North Central P-T. A.—At school, 3:30 p. m.; James Palmer, speaker.

Thursday

Nachusa Teacher's Reading circle—At Nachusa Lutheran orphanage.

Silver Thimble club—Mrs. George Bain, hostess.

Nimble Thimble club—At Mrs. George Heatherly's home.

Gap Grove P-T. A.—At Palmyra Town hall.

Palmyra Home Bureau unit —At Mrs. Norman Dietrich's home, 1:30 p. m.

Loyal Workers, Bethel church—Mrs. Pearl Fulmer, hostess 7:30 p. m.

Twentieth Century Literary club—Mrs. W. C. Moser, hostess.

Sunshine club — All-day meeting at Mrs. Walter Ortgiesen's home.

Shepherd's Class, Grace Evangelical church—Monthly meeting at church, 7:30 p. m.

Activities of Dixon Church Societies

Loyal Workers—Mrs Pearl Fulmer, 344 Everett street, will be hostess to Loyal Workers of the Bethel church at 7:30 p. m. Thursday. Mrs. Fry from the Lee County Home will be the guest speaker.

Revival Meetings—Revival services at Lee Mission, 509 Seventh street, will continue throughout the week, according to an announcement made today by the pastor, the Rev. Charles Enoch. Mrs. Julia Smith and Mrs. Gracie Clay are the evangelists in charge.

W. M. S.—The Women's Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church is planning a picnic supper for 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the church. Husbands of the members and their friends are to be guests.

General picnic rules will be observed for the supper, which will be followed by the monthly business meeting of the class. Mrs. Frank Ortgiesen, Mrs. Jones, Mrs Sweitzer and Mrs. W. E. White compose the hostess committee.

Aid Society—Mrs. E. G. Topper and Mrs. Bert Linderman entertained with a picnic dinner recent7ly at the former's home for members of St. James Aid society. Their guests included 20 members, 12 visitors and five children.

The afternoon business meeting was followed by a hymn, a scripture lesson, and prayer. Dorothy Spangler entertained with a piano solo. Election of officers and a gift exchange are planned for the December meeting which is to be held at Mrs. Kline's home in Dixon.

Monthly Meeting—The Shepherdl's class of Grace Evangelical church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the church. A social will follow the monthly business session.

Mesdames Glen Wisner, Ray Wullbrandt and William Joynt compose the committee.

PERSONALS

Miss Elsa L. Lengfelder has returned to her work in the nursing division of the Dixon State hospital, after a month's vacation, which she spent with her parents.

Mrs. F. S. Gonnerman and daughter Donna Marie of Ashton were Dixon visitors yesterday.

—Chicken Supper Wednesday, Nov. 8th, 6:00 p. m., Woodman hall—25c. Sponsored by Townsend club No. 1. Public invited. 262-t1

Mrs. L. G. MacDonald, who has been a patient in a Chicago hospital for some time, has been dismissed, and is convalescing satisfactorily at a Chicago hotel.

Stephens Templeton, student at the University of Illinois, spent the week end in Dixon with his parents.

Dr. V. A. Auriene expects to be in Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 13-20, taking post-graduate work in chiropody.

Paul Fry, who has been seriously ill at Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital, is recovering satisfactorily.

Miss Kathryn Harrington attended a conference for Girl Scout directors at Chicago during the week end.

Ancient Greeks offered sacrifices to approaching hail clouds, and even to this day, in many parts of the world, various charms are used to avert hailstorms.

Our Christmas Cards are beautiful. Come in and see them. An early selection is desirable. B. F. Shaw Printing Company. tf

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Alpha Book Club

The Alpha Book club met this afternoon with Mrs. Milton Gayman as hostess.

Be Better Friends Club

Be Better Friends club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Coffman.

Town Topics

Miss Pauline Hefflebower, Mrs. Anna Gravenstine and Mrs. Lloyd Ditzler visited Saturday at Princeton with Mrs. Marion Roggey.

Leo Doyle of Springfield spent the week end at the F. P. Doyle home.

Mrs. D. R. Weed of Lanark spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Orville French.

Mrs. Winifred Neely of Seward spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Murel Grim.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Schwenk spent Sunday and Monday in Chicago and attended the automobile show.

C. H. Chapin has gone to Minnesota to spend the winter.

F. A. Thomas of Hagerstown, Md., is spending some time visiting his brother Ed Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. George Acker and family of Dixon were Sunday guests at the Thomas home.

Harold French, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville French, smashed two fingers on his right hand Friday night after school. Harold was helping unload wood and a large chunk of wood fell on his hand.

The American Legion Auxiliary served 106 chicken dinners Saturday night at the Legion hall.

Mrs. Lester Hurdle's Sunday school class No. 11 of the Methodist church enjoyed an overnight camping trip to the Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvene Lord attended the homecoming at the University of Illinois, over the week end.

Miss Charlotte Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dennis and son Marvin were supper guests Sunday evening at the W. H. Dennis home. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Schrader of Haldane also visited there Sunday evening.

Gordon Clark visited his wife and son at the hospital in Dixon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Alberts left Monday for Wisconsin, where the former is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Magness drove to Waterman Sunday to visit Ward Krum of Sterling who suffered serious injuries in an auto accident last Friday evening.

Miss Marion Newman was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Baker and family at Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metzler, Mrs. Carrie Wales attended a Lulu E. Benson club scramble dinner at the Masonic temple at Mt. Morris Sunday.

Mr .and Mrs. Richard Minnier and daughter Irma Jean were supper guests Sunday evening at the John Rucker home.

Mrs. Bessie Fahrney of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Coffey. Sunday, the Coffey's and Mrs. Fahrney were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Olsen at Lanark.

Mrs. Agnes Clark of Rockford, visited over Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Murel Grim.

Mrs. Grace Oddy was entertained at Rockford Sunday at the home of Mrs. Sue Nye.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Blough and family spent the week end at Milford, Ill., at the home of the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Clayton.

Miss Ruth Gilbert and Junior Oyler drove to Chicago today to attend the automobile show.

Guests at the Allen Compton home are Mrs. Esther Detra of Iron Mountain, Mich., and Mrs. Nettie Geary of Emmett, Idaho. Sunday, Mrs. Compton entertainer at dinner honoring her guests and other invited guests were Mrs. Harry Bowder, Mrs. Lillian Cook and baby, Mrs. Jerry Neakins and Jerry Ann Neakins of Milledgeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Orten Arbogast were Sunday guests of the Morrison brothers at ElRoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Messer and family of Mt. Morris visited over Sunday at the William Shank home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholl and son Arnold visited Monday at the Leslie Williams home at Mt. Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schmidt entertained at a birthday dinner Sunday. The honored guest was six-year-old Carol Jean Kloepping of Oregon. Guests included were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Erbson and family of Lanark, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Artman and family of Shabbona, Mrs. C. W. Kloepping and daughter Louise of Pearl City, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fry of Mt. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Fry and son Phillip of Mt. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis of Oregon.

Guests at the John Scholl home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Boynton of Dixon, Rev. and Mrs. L. N. Main and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hummel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scholl and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Hummel and son Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scholl and baby son, Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scholl, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Williams and sons of Mt. Carroll, Ted and Jake Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scholl and son, Mrs. Fern Dempsey and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Deets.

A class of 20 adults organized a beginners typing class at the high school under the direction of Miss Margaret Kamlager, commercial teacher, Monday evening. The course is offered with no fees and the class decided to do the 18 week course, meeting every Monday night at 7:30.

Elmer Baker, nephew of Rev. H. Jesse Baker, who has been employed on the farm of R. O. Blough for the past two years, has discontinued his work there and is leaving for Chicago where he will enter Coyne electrical school.

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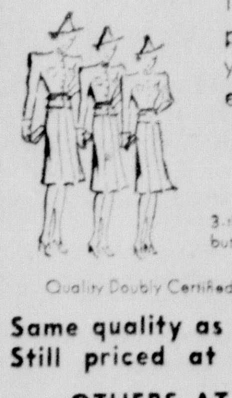

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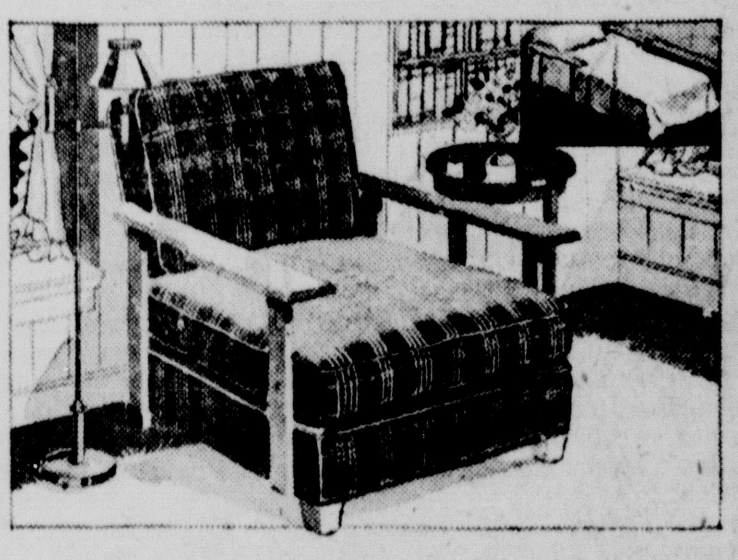

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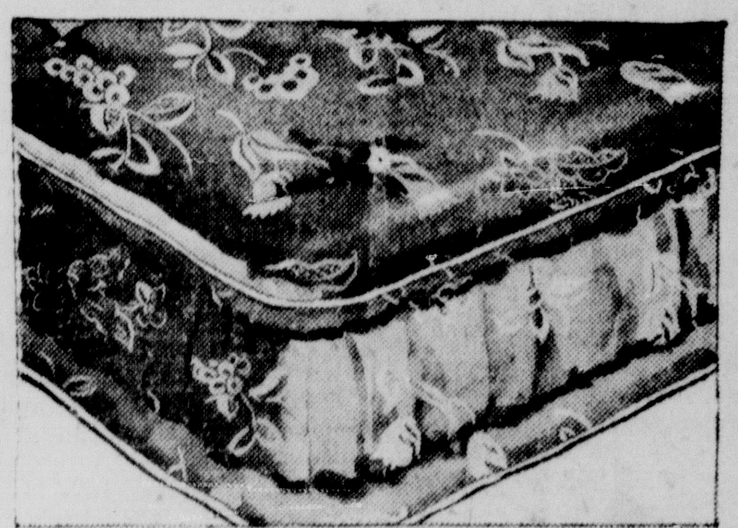

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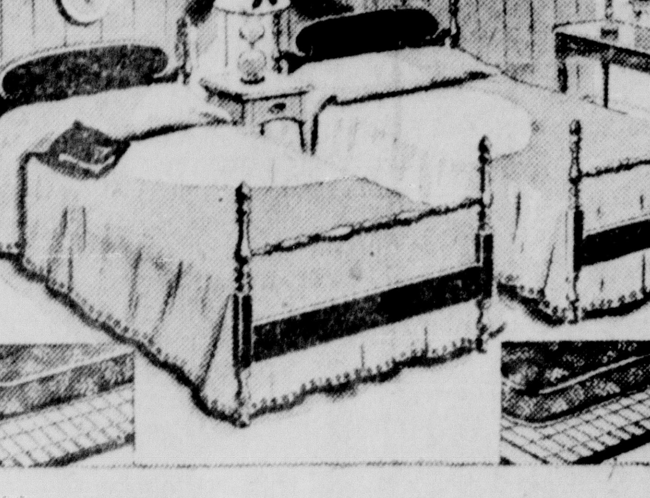

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FORECASTING BUSINESS

Something that wasn't on any of the business charts happened recently in steel town of Farrell, Pa., with its 15,000 inhabitants. Almost overnight, this town shook off its depression, and its workers went back to the mills. Everything is booming again, and the townspeople are cheered by the factory whistles that sounded again for the first time in nearly two years.

The same thing has happened in other cities, wherever there is industry. One day the factories are quiet, the workers jobless. And then a factory whistle blows and the town brightens up and merchants get rid of the stock that lay idle so long. Economists don't expect these things to happen because the graphs don't indicate prosperity.

One thing the business charts don't show is the psychology of the people. Business crests and depressions are not ruled alone by hard statistics. When economics is finally boiled down to an exact science, it will probably comprise a mixture of statistics and psychology.

SCHOOL OF SELF-EXPRESSION

Seventy-six guests of the St. Charles school for boys have taken leave without permission this year, a maneuver which in some quarters is considered bad form, inasmuch as the lads were invited there by the courts. They are not supposed to leave until they have absorbed the full intellectual and moral benefits afforded by this school.

One hardly ever hears of what the St. Charles school is accomplishing in a scholastic way. One hears every few days about boys taking French leave. Lest the public get the impression that the St. Charles institution is merely a school for escape, state officials should issue some sort of catalogue to every citizen.

The problem of what to do with rogues who are too young for the state penitentiary has been bothering governments ever since Hector was a pup. Our state institutions are already overcrowded, and even the over-abundance of paroles, probations, commutations and other evasions of sentence seems unable to keep down the housing and board burden.

We have it on the authority of J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the F. B. I., that crime is definitely on the increase. Not a mild increase comparable to the growth of population, but a sort of run-away inflation of criminal activity. As one surveys "society" it is hard to see how that great body, so often blamed by criminals for their misdeeds, is responsible for this cancerous growth. It would be profitable for criminologists to look into the early lives of these yeggs to see whether they were not affected by their upbringing in days before they got acquainted with society at large.

One school of thought seems to be on the wane. That was that a child should be permitted to "express himself," even though his youthful exuberance led him into destruction of property and invasion of the rights of others. On no account must the little dears suffer corporal punishment.

Under this theory, no doubt, many little dears have grown up into upright and God-fearing young men. Others never learned that there are some things they must never do, and some things they must always do.

These latter dears are well represented at St. Charles. Their propensity for going away from there is merely a continuation of self-expression.

We have had a softening of home and school discipline and a corresponding increase in the number of youthful criminals. Whether there is any connection between the two developments is something for psychologists to study.

CLEAN-UP IN THE BUILDING INDUSTRY

Home owners should regard with glee the current investigation by the United States Justice Department on the high cost of building. Whoever may be responsible for high prices—contractors, unions or both—the entire matter should be laid open to public inspection. Prospective builders of family dwellings have already suffered too long from unreasonable building costs.

Attorney General Murphy has pointed out that in some communities, at least, there are sufficient grounds to believe that unscrupulous contractors and certain groups of unionists are directly responsible for high building costs. Certainly no one believes that the majority of contractors or the bulk of A. F. of L. unionists is anxious to impede building progress through obstructive tactics. But it takes only a handful of persons, engaged in nefarious schemes, to wield their influence over an entire industry.

It has been charged that collusive bidding among building contractors is one factor responsible for high costs. This is a system whereby builders get together and agree in advance on what bids are to be made on a project. Contractors can in this way completely eliminate competitive bidding.

Murphy's chief complaint against the A. F. of L. is the series of jurisdictional strikes that have disrupted home building efforts from time to time. There is no argument with the A. F. of L. or any other labor organization on the right to conduct peaceful and legitimate strikes for the attainment of lawful ends. There is, however, considerable objection to carrying on inter-union battles at the cost of the innocent home-builder.

A great deal may come of this nationwide investigation in the way of general reform in the building industry. Unionists and contractors alike may be indicted on a wide-spread scale to answer questions the public has been asking for years.

But if nothing more is gained than complete dissection of this problem, the purpose of the inquiry will not have been altogether lost. Home-owners will know, at least, where the blame may be justly placed. The road for future action will have been paved.

Meanwhile, another element, disturbing to anyone contemplating construction of a home, has entered the picture. Plans are afoot for development of C. I. O. building unions to compete with A. F. or L. organizations in the construction industry. If this program goes through, helpless builders will be faced with the unpleasant prospect of having their union workmen picketed by rival unions.

The only way anyone can judge to what extent home-builders would be affected with both the C. I. O. and the A. F. of L. vying for contracts is to reflect on what has happened in other industries where there have been similar disputes. Arguments resulting from such dual jurisdiction have brought untold injuries to innocent business men and their patrons. Perhaps the Justice Department, while it is looking into the building industry, will devote some time to the possibility of this new complication.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, Nov. 6—Tight-lipped Attorney General Murphy has let slip the word that sabotage was discovered in this country by his G-men even before congress opened the way for shipping munitions abroad—but he refused to say what it was.

An amazing inside tale of what this country may be in for, now increasingly, lay behind his assertion. The sabotage was detected in a nut and bolt factory in Detroit which is manufacturing these products for various airplane factories.

Edgar Hoover's Federal Bureau of Investigation received a bolt destined for a Pan-American Clipper ship. It had been sawed in two, or nearly in two, and plated over cleverly so the defect would not be noticed. The original discovery was made, of course, by the manufacturer himself and he reported his evidence to the FBI.

FBI immediately got busy and put "the light" (a machine similar to an X-ray which pierces metal with an all-seeing eye) on every order of bolts from this factory.

Fourteen were discovered which had been sawed and plated.

Failure of one such bolt would not necessarily have meant failure of any part of the big trans-oceanic ships. In general bolts are fastened in groups so that if one fails, others may successfully perform the service of the defective one. However the discovery was disconcerting to say the least.

FBI learned this same factory had orders for the same special types of airplane bolts from some airplane factories constructing giant flying fortresses for the army. Hoover's report to Murphy, however, said a careful investigation proved rather conclusively that none of the defective bolts had found its way into any army equipment, although this may have been the purpose of the plot.

Murphy and Hoover are inclined to suspect the skillful business was the work of radical extremists, perhaps commies, possibly nazis. Their investigation showed clearly that legitimate labor organizations were not involved in any way.

While the work was done with mechanical skill, the idea was crude and the result ineffective. Probably no more than two men could have been directly involved.

But the case has put the justice department on its toes. It is a pointed illustrative example of the kind of undercover work which has been feared generally, now that Mr. Roosevelt has signed the congressional repeal of the arms embargo and embarked upon a program which will soon result in the production of thousands more planes for Britain and France.

Japan spoke back at the United States and at our Ambassador Joseph Grew through the "Institute of the Pacific." The institute warned that the position of Japan in China must be understood and accepted before current peace and trade negotiations can get to first base.

The Associated Press described the outfit as "composed of high ranking Japanese," but no one around here ever heard of it before. The Japan-Manchukuo yearbook of 1939 is supposed to list all such organizations. It has one chapter devoted to "Learned and Social Institutions." But it missed this one which is now talking to the United States on behalf of the Japanese government.

The Japanese are always organizing societies, some with secret support of the government. Many are formed by high ranking aristocrats connected with the administration. They try to get all the influential and intellectual members possible in order to sell the policies of the government to their people.

Whereas our domestic and foreign policies usually are determined by the pressure of the country upon the government and occasionally vice versa, the Japanese situation is always vice versa. Their people have been ruled by emotion rather than reason, and the emotion always originates at the top.

The more important news behind the incident, however, is the additional evidence it brings that some nations are embarking upon a new kind of diplomacy—the same muddling kind that brought war to Europe.

Instead of foreign offices adopting a clear policy and speaking it out straightforwardly as a basis of understanding and negotiations, some leading statesmen of the world have adopted unofficial third parties as their spokesmen. In Japan it may be societies, in Erope it is certainly the controlled press. During the City of Flint incident, for instance, the U. S. state department was not able to get a single word of diplomatic information out of Moscow. It learned actions of the Russian government only through news carried by Tass, the official Russian news agency. In other words, they read it in the newspapers.

Hitler commonly uses the same methods, as does Mussolini. Hitler's recent peace suggestions were given to the press in a nebulous form by a foreign office spokesman, and when they foundered, another spokesman said the first one had not known what he was talking about.

Democracies are hindered in this game by press freedom, but Chamberlain and Daladier have been overcoming the obstacle by making speeches to their own people really directed at foreign countries.

It is little wonder that the nations of the world do not understand each other when they will not even speak to each other directly.

The Creeping Man

—by Frances Shelley Wees—

YESTERDAY: Higgins denies knowledge that Murchison was murdered, but says he saw a bloody paper on the path. The next day Gordon Deane's dog drops dead from meat the Forresters were planning to eat.

Chapter 27
DOG BURIAL

As Michael put the car into the garage at the side of the house he heard the sound of hammering coming from the Deanes'. He went to the house, called in to Tuck, "I'll be out for a while, honey. Over with Gordon," and went down the path and around to the other house. There, as he expected, he found Gordon out in the yard, finishing the lid on the box that was to serve as Fred's coffin. Gordon's eyes looked as if they might have brimmed over at some not distant time; but Michael took no notice. He dropped down on one knee beside the lad, and put out a hand to the box.

"Good job there," he muttered. "Taken manual training lessons?"

"Yes," said Gordon. He got up and carried the box to the gate, then lifted the dog's body, lying there beside the hedge wrapped in a torn blanket, and laid it gently in the coffin.

"Give me one end," Michael said briefly, and picked it up. Gordon led off into the woods, toward the river bank, and Michael followed. The box was very light. Fred had been only a small dog. The world, Michael reflected, was full of small dogs; but, in Gordon's eyes, there would never be another one exactly like Freddie.

The grave was already dug, lying open underneath a great pine tree almost on the edge of the river. They put the box down, and Gordon lifted it to set it softly in the hole. He turned away for a minute before they started heaping dirt upon it. Michael gathered an armful of pine branches, while Gordon was finishing, and brought them to lay on the top. Gordon stood up. He blew his nose. Michael took out his cigarette case, looked at it, then turned and held it out to Gordon.

"Have a cigarette," he said, as man to man.

Gordon shook his head. "Don't smoke," he said gruffly, and straightened his shoulders."

Through the thin fringe of trees between them, and the river, the sunset was visible as through heavy lace. Gordon leaned his back against a tree and looked at it.

"Funny thing a fellow can't even have a dog," he said at last, with what started out as a nonchalance and ended with a hint of a catch in his throat.

Michael did not answer.

"Maybe they'll let me have a bike," Gordon said. "Mom thinks they're not safe."

"Not any too safe the way some kids ride through the traffic," Michael replied.

"Nothin's safe. I had a boat once. Mom never found it out. She'd have thrown a fit. Dad did have a fit when he found out I had it."

"How'd you get a boat without their knowing?"

"Found it. It floated down one spring, and stayed here all summer without anybody coming after it. I took it. Saved my money, and give it a swell paint job, and fixed it all up." He scuffed at the pine needles. "Can't have nothin'," he said.

"They take it away from you?"

"Who? Dad? No. Somebody swiped it."

"Maybe the owner found it."

'I'll Get Even'

"No chance. I had that boat hid. I kep't it up a ravine witn branches over it. If the owner had a wanted it he cught to a come for it sooner. It was my boat. No, somebody that saw me in it took it. Watched where I put it, and swiped it. I'd like to find out who, that's what I would. I bet it was the same guy poisoned Fred. You just wait. I'll get even with him."

"You're crazy," Michael said. "Who'd have it in for a kid?"

Gordon looked at him sidewise. "That's all right," he said at last, as if a little ashamed of himself. "I'll take care of that. I'm not such a kid, I'll show him."

"Who?"

"That's it. Who?" He looked at Michael directly. "You took that meat down town, I bet, to have them find out if it had poison. Didn't you?"

"Yes."

"It will. You mark my words." He chose his father's favorite phrase. "He poisoned my dog, an' I'll sure get even."

Behind them in the wood a sleepy bird cheeped suddenly. Gordon jumped. "We better get home," he said in a low voice. He bent double, and darted off to the right with the speed of a startled rabbit, Michael following quite unashamedly.

At the gate Gordon looked at him again. "It isn't so safe out there in the woods with robbers and poisoners around," he said in a low tone. "An' you just remember, Mr. Michael Forrester, he didn't intend to get Freddie with that meat. It wasn't Freddie he was after."

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In the study the two girls sat very quietly, waiting for him to come in. Tuck was obviously relieved when he did come in and sit down beside them. Bunny, sitting in the big armchair under a reading lamp, shut her magazine and put it on the table. She looked at Tuck. Tuck nodded her head slightly.

"Michael," Bunny said quietly "you're going about this mystery business in your own way, aren't you?"

"My own way, Bunny?"

"Yes. Telling about half what you think. Keeping the most important things to yourself. Getting a grip on the whole thing and saying very little about it. But I want to know something. Will you tell me?"

Michael considered. "Glad to, if I know the answer."

"Thank you. Now—is that letter from Chicago a fake or is it not?"

"I don't know. The Commissioner is tracing it. He's written a letter to Police Headquarters there. We ought to know in a few days."

"Yes. I thought so. And the logical next question is . . . why do you think it's a fake? Because of all this suspicioning around, or have you any proof that . . . Dr. Murchison . . . might have been murdered? Real proof?"

Michael thought that over carefully. He decided. He told them about Higgins, the rockeries, the watch. "It is Edgar Murchison's watch," he said. "There isn't the slightest doubt. "It was Edgar Murchison's hat that someone left at McBain's the night he disappeared. Who? Why. I don't know. But taken all together, I doubt if a man would go off and leave his hat, his watch, and fifty thousand dollars worth of diamonds, to say nothing of his wife . . voluntarily."

'Charming Person'

"I see." Bunny put the tips of her long graceful fingers together and contemplated them carefully. Tuck got up from her chair, went over to Michael's, sat on his knee, pulled her feet up off the dark floor and put both hands under the edge of his coat. She put her head on his shoulder. She was safe.

"Why, Bunny?"

"Well . . . I might as well tell you this. It's just that . . . ." she was having a little trouble with her words. "It's just that . . . I'm afraid you'll be suspecting Duncan Murchison as well as the rest of them, and I wanted you to know that I've been cut walking with him several times lately. He isn't trying to pump me or get information from me, and I don't think he has any ulterior motive in asking me. I'm going because I want to go. I find him a charming person. I like him very much. He isn't a bit sulky and rude when the Devoes or Mrs. Murchison aren't around." She paused. Michael was stroking Tuck's hair gently. "I wanted you to understand," Bunny said at last.

"Thank you, Bunny. Were you, by any chance, with him this afternoon?"

"I was."

"Between what hours?"

"He came shortly after three, and he left about half past five."

Michael stirred restlessly. Tuck shifted her position to one less likely to precipitate her on the floor.

"Why, Michael?"

"There's something I want you to understand too," he said slowly. "I can't count Duncan out because he's a charming person. I liked him too. He's a fine upstanding sort of young chap. Everybody has a good word for him. But, as dad says, this is a queer unlikely sort of business we're engaged in, and I've got to follow where the track leads, Bunny. Likes and dislikes don't count so much in an affair like this. I haven't got a thing against young Murchison yet. Not a thing. But if I do get the end of a string leading his way, I've got to follow it. Personal considerations can't be counted when it's murder, Bunny."

She flushed. "No, she said quietly. "I just didn't want you to think I was trying to put anything over on you. I want you to have the facts. I have the utmost confidence in your judgment and common sense."

"I wish his tongue were looser," Tuck said wistfully. She put her hand up and patted Michael's face.

The telephone shrilled suddenly. Michael lifted Tuck, and dropped her unceremoniously to the couch, and made one leap for the receiver.

"Hello?" he said. Then—

"Yes, yes. Forrester speaking."

"It's not, eh? Positive?"

There was a pause.

"I see."

"Yes. Thanks."

He turned back . . "It's Jethro," he said. "He says there isn't a trace of poison on that meat. He's tested it for everything. He says he'll swear to that."

Both girls looked up at him. "Then what killed the dog, Michael?"

He shook his head. "I don't know," he said.

But he did not tell them all that Jethro had said. He emphasized the fact that there was no poison on the meat, no poison of any kind. Not a trace. And then he had said, "But it's some strange and damnable business, Forrester; for after I'd tested it, and made sure there was no poison on it I gave the merest scrap of it to my cat, and it dropped dead at my feet."

Continued tomorrow.

YEARS AGO

Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity In the Past

(From Dixon Telegraph)

38 YEARS AGO

Mrs. John Beebe, a resident of Dixon since 1848, passed away today at her home, 513 Second street.

Harry McKinstry, formerly of Dixon, passed away Tuesday in Chicago where he had gone to accept a position of responsibility in a bank.

Mrs. Lucretia Wheat, who will be remembered as one of Amboy's most respected citizens, passed away Monday night at LaGrange.

25 YEARS AGO

The annual gathering of the Rock River Pastors' Association will be held here Monday.

Governor-elect Charles S. Whitman of New York is a first cousin of Mrs. Harriett Rogers of this city and a second cousin of Mrs. Robert Nelson.

10 YEARS AGO

The Civic Music Association of Dixon has secured two outstanding attractions, Madame Leginska and the Boston Woman's Symphony, to be presented here.

GUARDSMEN WILL BEGIN 'CONFLICT' COMING WEEK END

Illinois Troops To Get Training in Battle Maneuvers

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)— The problems of armed conflict will occupy nearly 11,000 Illinois National Guardsmen on "battlegrounds" throughout the state from this week until about December 1.

Mobilized for a week of additional training authorized by the war department, the various companies and regiments of the 33rd division and attached troops will assemble at camps and armories for week-end and seven-day maneuvers and imaginary battles. The regular training period is 15 days annually, mostly at Camp Grant, Rockford.

Units will be assigned to Camp Grant, Camp Logan at Zion, Camp Lincoln and the state fairgrounds at Springfield, the Cook county forest preserves, armories in Pontiac, Dixon, Rockford, Decatur, Salem, Danville and Peoria, and at other available quarters.

The Eighth infantry, a Negro troop of 828 Chicagoans commanded by Col. William Warfield, was bivouacked today by Camp Grant in tents heated by the regulation Sibley stoves. The group will fire on the ranges through Wednesday and engage in battle maneuvers Friday. The battle problem will include night movements Thursday with compasses

The Second battalion of the 122nd field artillery was gathered this week at Camp Logan. The first battalion of the regiment will maneuver there next week, and the 108th Observation regiment there next week-end.

To "Defend" Capital

The 123rd Field Artillery, composed of about 700 troops in downstate companies, with the headquarters battalion, will "defend" the state capital next week in war games at Camp Lincoln and the state fairgrounds. Brig. Gen. Samuel T. Lawton of Chicago will be in command.

Acting with imaginary infantry, the artillery will set up heavy field pieces and fire sub-calibre shells from positions calculated to protect Springfield from an "enemy" which has captured Chicago and is moving southward across the state.

The 129th and 130th infantry regiments will drill by companies the week-end of November 11-12 and November 18-19 in Sycamore, Rockford, Pontiac, Ottawa, Dixon, Streator, Aurora, Yorkville, Kewanee, Joliet, Waukegan, Kankakee, Elgin, Sterling, Decatur, Salem, Mount Vernon, Quincy, Danville, Peoria, Delavan, Carbondale, Cairo, Lawrenceville and Paris.

These two regiments, which include about 2,000 troops of the 65th brigade under command of Brig. Gen. Diller S. Myers of Pontiac, will concentrate for three days of battle problems November 24, 25 and 26. The 129th will camp at Rockford, Dixon and Pontiac, in battalions of about 350 men each. The 130th will bivouac at Peoria, Decatur, Salem and Danville.

"Red" and "Blue" Forces

Each battalion will hold machine gun and rifle training and maneuvers, with "red" and "blue" forces engaging in sham battles. Regimental commanders and staffs also will hold command post exercises, including the movement of imaginary troops through a communications system.

Throughout next week, the 132nd infantry, 124th field artillery, 108th engineers and division special corps, a force of about 2,450 men, all of Chicago, will divide into two forces at Camp Grant for sham battles which will include tanks and aircraft. The artillery regiment will be conducting its first maneuvers as a motorized unit. The actual battle problem has not been announced.

The 202nd coast artillery will hold anti-aircraft training at Fort Sheridan November 25-December 1. The 108th medical regiment will hold week-end training in the Cook county forest preserve. Troop E, 116th cavalry, will train seven days at Fort Sheridan beginning November 26. The remainder of the troop will train at Urbana and Springfield November 11-12, November 18-19, November 25-26 and December 3.

The 108th quartermaster regiment will train at Camp Grant November 19-25.

Gen. Roy D. Keehn, 33rd division commander, will visit the various sites of the "war" throughout the maneuvers.

HE STAYS ON JOB

Louisville, Ky. —(AP)—A fledgling attorney just out of law school had no rebuttal when Deputy County Clerk Harry Russell told him some papers he wanted to file weren't drawn properly.

"They've been drawn that way by others", contended the young barrister.

"Not for the past fifty years," Russell retorted.

And the deputy clerk should know. He's been handling those documents more than fifty years.

An airliner must pass more than 200 tests before it can be put into transport service.

HOLD EVERYTHING!

"Yah! You and your raft. . . . Sometimes I wish we'd never escaped from Alcatraz!"

Entertainer

LORD LYON

One of the artists to be presented Thursday evening at the high school auditorium by Dixon lodge of Elks. The program presents several of the foremost radio and screen stars in their first visit to Dixon. Their presence is in behalf of the Dixon Elks crippled children's fund and the entire proceeds from the show will be used in conducting clinics in Dixon. Many kiddies in Dixon and vicinity who never knew the pleasure of uninterrupted play, are now as agile as their companions, through having had crippled or twisted limbs straightened and corrected. It is for the purpose of continuation of this worthy program that Dixon lodge of Elks is presenting the program at the high school auditorium Thursday evening and the general public is invited to attend.

AROUND THE COURTHOUSE

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Mont H. Hawkins et ux WD to Dement Schuler $1.00 pt L 17 Park Manor Add Dixon.

Wm. Bell Marquis, et ux WD to Laura Marquis Gest $1.00 1/3 int sw1/4 Sec 10 Viola Twp.

Florence Buell WD to Clement F. Faber $1.00 lands in Sec. 14-15 Wyoming Twp. also lands in Sec. 22 and 23 Wyoming Twp.

Edw. A. Blum et ux by Mas. Mas. Dd. to Home Owners Loan Crop. $2000; lts 3 and 6 B 27 Amboy.

Donald B. Raymond et ux WD to Henry A. Nehring $1.00 L 57 Fargo Add Dixon.

Dorothy D. Cook et hus WD to Olivia nad Jay Cratty $1.00 B 2 Steward's 2nd Add to Steward.

Olivia Cratty et hus WD to Harold Cook, et ux $1.00 same.

Harold Cook, et ux WD to Robert Morris Cook and Mary Beth Cook $1.00 same.

Elizabeth P. Andrew WD to John C. Roe $1.00 pt L 2 B 22 N. Dixon.

John C. Roe et ux QCD to Eliz P. Andrews and Henry C. Pollock $1.00 same.

Paul Garren, et ux WD to Loran W. Garren etu x $1.00 L 10 E. C. Parsons Ind. Add. Dixon.

Loran W. Garren et ux WD to Paul Garren et ux $1.00 L 11 E. C. Parsons Ind. Add Dixon.

Lillian M. Prescott WD to John E. Speroni, et ux $1.00 N 100 ft Lts 1 and 2 B 51 N. Dixon.

Hattie Kelchner WD to Floyd F. Klenke et ux $1.00 n 10 ft L 53 and S 30 ft L 54 Riverside.

Floyd F. Klenke et ux WD to Lillian M. Prescott $1.00 same.

Thos H. Willis, et ux WD to Wm. Mackay $1.00 nw1/4 se1/4 sw1/4 ne1/4 Sec. 14 Lee Center Twp

N. G. Van Sant et ux WD to Daisy Van Sant $1.00 sw1/4 w1/2 se1/4 Sec 8 East Grove Twp.

John W. Murray WD to Joseph C. Kopeck $1.00 pt n1/2 L 82 Moellers Survey and Sub. Sec. 33 Dixon Twp.

Samuel McCardle et al WD to Floyd Klenke et ux $1.00 s 10.87 A. e1/2 sw1/4 Sec. 24 Dixon.

Mortgages and Trust Deeds

Geo. F. Holmes et ux to John C. Roe, Tr. $150 s 67 ft Lts 31 and 32, w 50 ft e 200 ft Lts 31 and 32 Loveland Pl. Tracts.

ELIMINATION OF DIPHTHERIA RISK IN DIXON SOUGHT

Health Agencies of City Cooperating in City-Wide Campaign

With all local physicians, school health nurses, state district health department and school officials cooperating, a program to eliminate the risk of diphtheria from the school children of Dixon will be started soon, according to an announcement by Dr. John B. Werren, Dixon's health officer. Every child in the school system who is susceptible to diphtheria will have an opportunity to be immunized against that disease by inoculation with toxoid, Dr. Werren said.

The program will be divided in two phases, the testing of children for susceptibility to diphtheria and the giving of toxoid to all susceptible children whose parents so desire.

On November 13 and 14 the Schick test, which shows susceptibility or immunity to diphtheria, will be offered to all school children above the fourth grade, including the high school. These tests will be done in the schools and without cost to the pupils. This test is not an inoculation, merely a test to determine whether or not a child could catch diphtheria.

On November 16 and 17 the results of the Schick tests will be interpreted. Children with positive reactions, which indicate susceptibility to diphtheria, will be advised to go to their family physicians for treatment with toxoid, which gives immunity to diphtheria.

Offer Treatments

Also on November 16 and 17, the first of the two necessary treatments with toxoid will be offered at the schools for all pupils below the fifth grade. No preliminary Schick test will be offered to this group because such a large proportion are known to be susceptible. Three weeks later the second treatment with toxoid will be offered to this group. For the toxoid treatments a charge of 50 cents per dose will be made.

Vaccination against smallpox will be urged for all unprotected children. This work will be done after the inoculations against diphtheria have been completed. A charge of $1.00 per vaccination will be made during the campaign.

All of the Dixon physicians are cooperating and will participate in the program. Parents are urged to take advantage of the special opportunity which will be offered to have their children protected against diphtheria and smallpox.

Inoculation against diphtheria and vaccination against smallpox are highly recommended by the state department of public health. "More than a million and a half children have been immunized against diphtheria in Illinois during the last seventeen years with the result that the prevalence of diphtheria has been reduced by 90 per cent," according to Dr. A. C. Baxter, state director of public health. "The danger from diphtheria to non-immune children is just as great today as formerly, however. Diphtheria and smallpox can be prevented only so long as children are inoculated against them. The sooner this is done after six months of age, the better."

WOMAN RUNS QUOTATION DEPARTMENT OF EXCHANGE

The highly complex quotation department of the New York Curb exchange, which flashes by phone to subscribers from 30,000 to 35,000 stock prices a day, is managed by a woman, Mrs. Abigail Frances Chilton, who handles the job with the help of 38 girls.

Vols Top Team for Third Week

Amboy Youth Tops State College Scoring

FANFARE

By DON DANIELSON.

INDUSTRIAL BASKETBALL

Paul Potts who will manage the championship Knacks basketball team again this year today announced the players which have been signed to the club's roster. Francis Henry and Bob Underwood, former Drake university athletes, will play at guard and forward, respectively; Clark from DeKalb college at guard and center; Sam Bellows, Ullrich, Al Boyd, Gene McNamera, and Paul Potts. Charles Roundy will again be coach of the squad. No definite plans have been formed for the industrial league, but action is expected nearly any day now.

FOLLOWERS OF THE PRO GAMES

Additional Dixonites who attended the pro football game between the Bears and Packers in Chicago Sunday afternoon were Kenneth Hasselberg, Edward Nicklaus, Stan Newberry, George O'Malley, Harry Wienman, Revere Reinhart and son, Douglas Curran and Cy Winebrenner.

NEXT AND FINAL GAME

The revived Dixon high school team, more optimistic than a week ago, goes to Sterling next Friday night to end the 1939 campaign against the traditional rivals. A Sterling-Dixon game is always a heated affair, and more so this season with the locals fighting for a little warmth from the conference sun. No major change will result in the league standings with the championship already in the hands of DeKalb, but none of the fire or enthusiasm is lacking. Belvidere defeated Sterling last week by the same score which the Boone county warriors used to trounce Dixon here, 19 to 6, which observers believe puts the traditional rivals on a more even basis for the final game. Dixon's victory over Princeton was the big thrill thus far in the season for the local fans and the team is out now to show it was no fluke.

MORE FIGURES

The Rock River conference is not without its heroes this season as the league heads into the final week end with three important games on tap. Applying the pencil and paper method used on the North Central conference, we have uncovered the following data for our pals around the neighborhood. These figures apply only to conference games:

ROCK RIVER CONFERENCE

Individual Scoring

Player— School—	Touchdowns	Points	Total
Miller, Mt. Morris	8	1	49
Franklin, Oregon	4	4	28
Bush, Morrison	4	0	24
May, Rochelle	3	4	22
Berga, Amboy	3	0	18
Robinson, Rock Falls	3	0	18
Vaughn, Rochelle	3	0	18
Purdue, Rock Falls	2	2	14
Pelsma, Oregon	2	1	13
Ballard, Mt. Morris	2	1	13
DeGryse, Rochelle	2	1	13
R. Ferguson, Oregon	2	1	13
Edeus, Rock Falls	2	0	12
Buiceman, Morrison	2	0	12
C. Ferguson, Oregon	2	0	12
Genz, Rock Falls	2	0	12
Smith, Rock Falls	1	2	8
Lawton, Rock Falls	1	1	7
Gecan, Oregon	1	0	6
Harris, Rochelle	1	0	6
Ricedorf, Rock Falls	1	0	6
Dusing, Oregon	1	0	6
Merriman, Mt. Morris	1	0	6
Higgins, Rock Falls	1	0	6
Putnam, Oregon	1	0	6
Smith, Polo	1	0	6
Milligan, Rochelle	0	2	2
Rick Morrison	0	2	2
Price, Amboy	0	1	1
Kump, Mt. Morris	0	1	1
Rock Falls given 2 points in safety	0	0	2
Conference total	56	24	362

Team Scoring

School—	Games	Touchdowns	Points	Total Points	Opp. Tot. Points
Rock Falls	5	13	5 and safety	85	0
Oregon	6	13	6	84	17
Oregon	6	13	6	84	17
Mt. Morris	5	11	3	69	53
Rochelle	5	9	7	61	18
Morrison	5	6	2	38	62
Amboy	5	3	1	19	89
Polo	5	1	0	6	123
Conference total.	18	56	26	362	362

Cleveland Tribe to Go in Disguise to Baseball Meetings Next Month

Cleveland, Nov. 7—(AP)— The Cleveland's Indians' David Harums are going to next month's baseball meetings disguised as introverts.

"We'll have our eyes and ears open," said bespectacled Vice President C. C. Slapnicka today, "but we'll let the other clubs come to us."

Last winter the tribal bigwigs went as extroverts. Amid much ballyhoo they put half the club on the block, departed with high hopes and came back empty-handed.

The Indians aren't satisfied with a third-place ball club—even in the Yankees' American League—but the unexpected development of infield rookies late last summer sowed the seeds of their new independence.

Since the prime days of Shortstop Joe Sewell and Second Baseman Bill Wambsganss, a long string of tribal managers has tried countless players at the two positions.

Now Lou Boudreau, up from Buffalo; Ray Mack, a home town boy, and Oscar Grimes, the infield jack-of-all-trades, have the fans talking. Good-looking Boudreau, once a star at Illinois, looked like the find of the year in the short field. Grimes, the team's most aggressive player, and Mack, perhaps a little green yet, sparkled at second. For insurance the club has purchased Russ Peters, crack shortstop of the Atlanta Southern Association club.

Could Use Pitcher

"We could use another pitcher who would win 15 games", said Slapnicka, the "discoverer" of 24-game winner Bob Feller, "but then, who couldn't? We aren't going to trade ony of the hurlers whose work in the closing weeks put us in third place."

(This presumably means Feller, Mel Harder, Al Milnar and Harry Eisenstat).

Manager Oscar Vitt said recently, however, that any pitcher except Feller might be swapped in a "right" deal.

The Redskins could best bait their hook with pitchers and catchers. They want a right-handed hitting outfielder and have some flingers who might do better elsewhere and two of the league's best catchers in Rollie Hemsley and Frankie Pytlak.

It's hard to find out just who would be traded—it's part of that introvert act.

HAVING FIRED NINE PLAYERS YALE COACH BUCKLES DOWN TO WORK FOR BROWN BATTLE

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 7. — Having fired nine regulars from the varsity with the comment that his Yale eleven was "the worst team I think I've ever seen on a Yale field," Coach Ducky Pond buckled down to work today for Saturday's stiff tussle with Brown.

The only three regulars to survive Pond's wrath in the wake of Yale's 33-0 drubbing Saturday at Dartmouth's hands were Capt. Bill Stack, center; Bob Brooks, tackle, and Ted Harrison, a sub back. All the other positions, Ducky declared, were wide open and that, he indicated, meant wide open to the men who were fired if they could make the grade again.

"I don't mind saying that the team on Saturday was the worst I've ever coached at any time at Yale," Pond said disgustedly. "There was something wrong with the competitive spirit."

The men fired were Fred Burr, Hal Whiteman, Hovey Seymour and Hank Wood, the whole backfield; both ends, Alan Bartholemy and Bill Zilly; Tackle Bob Knapp, and the guards, Cape Burnam and Frank Kemp.

FAMILY BATTLE

Baltimore— Otto, Walter and Fred Greiner, brothers, are rivals in the University of Baltimore intramural golf championship.

REAL LIFT

Portland, Ore.—The 93-chair ski lift which carries enthusiasts a mile up Mount Hood in 12 minutes cost $80,000.

TEXAS AGGIES TO MEET SMU IN BIG BATTLE OF WEEK

Notre Dame Takes Second In AP Vote for Best Team in Nation

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Nov. 7—(AP)—Although Tennessee is again rated the best football team in the country, the outstanding game on this week's schedule is Texas A and M. against Southern Methodist.

That much probably could be figured out by any fan without the assistance of the weekly Associated Press national football ranking poll, but the tabulated votes of the experts prove it.

Tennessee, for the third straight week, is ranked far ahead of all rivals. The Vols, riding high on last Saturday's 20-0 triumph over Louisiana State, polled the first-place votes of 88 of the 118 participants and a total of 1,114 points this week. But next Saturday they go into hibernation again, meeting the Citadel of Charleston, S. C., last-place team of the Southern Conference.

Meanwhile Texas Aggies, placed first by six of the experts and ranked third for the week with a total of 854 points, encounter the Southern Methodist Mustangs in what may be the deciding game of the Southwest Conference race. Smu landed in 14th place in this week's ranking with 69 points.

Notre Dame Vs. Iowa

That game is the only one between teams which were placed in the first 20, but Notre Dame, the second-place club, runs up against Iowa, which earned a single tenth-place vote and Tulane, eighth on the list, meets Alabama, which drew eight points.

Notre Dame just did beat out Texas A. and M. for second place, moving up two notches from fourth while the Aggies jumped from sixth to third. Michigan, second a week ago, skidded back to ninth place as a result of their defeat by Illinois.

Standings of the teams (points figured on 10-9-8-7-6, etc. Bases, with first-place votes in parentheses):

Team	Points
1. Tennessee (88)	1,114
2. Notre Dame (11)	857
3. Texas A. and M. (6)	854
4. Sou. California (6)	799
5. Cornell (1)	709
6. Oklahoma (3)	622
7. North Caroline	391½
8. Tulane	390½
9. Michigan	104
10. (Tie) Ohio State	102
10. (Tie) U. C. L. A.	102

Other Point-Winners

Second Ten: 12. Duquesne, 86; 13, Dartmouth, 70; 14. Southern Methodist, 69; 15. Santa Clara, 58; 16. Duke, 46; 17. New York U., 24; 18. Kentucky, 23; 19, San Jose (Calif.) State, 12; 20, Mississippi, 9.

Also Ran—Alabama, 8; Nebraska and Clemson, 7 each; Northwestern, 6; Holy Cross, 5; Purdue, 4; Missouri and Fordham, 2 each; Catholic University, Georgetown, Iowa, Texas, Carnegie Tech and Oregon State, 1 each.

This week's games should help the experts decide which are the best teams, for most of the leaders play traditional enemies which are strong even though they're not ranked.

Southern California, for example, has its annual battle with Stanford; Cornell meets its neighbor Colgate; Oklahoma plays Kansas State; North Carolina meets Davidson and Michigan faces Minnesota. U. C. L. A. has an open date while Ohio State has the next best thing—a game with Chicago.

SIX DAY BIKE RACE

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)—The Letourner-Reboli and Debaets-Thomas teams were tied for first place as the 42nd international six day bicycle race at the Chicago Stadium reached its 28th hour at 1 a. m. today.

DeBaets caused a 15-minute delay in the race when he took a bad spill and required medical aid.

The 1 a. m. standings, 28th hour:

	Miles	Laps	Pts.
DeBaets-Thomas	514	9	74
Letourner-Reboli	514	9	27
W. Peden-D. Peden	514	8	142
Audy-O'Brien	514	8	125
Yates-Rodman	514	8	121
Shipman-Wissel	514	8	7
Walthour-Crossley	514	7	67
Nauwens-Bergna	514	7	62
Rodak-Bollaert	514	7	38
Moretti-Debacco	514	7	31
Yaccino-Ottevaere	514	6	31
Gruber-Anderson	513	8	46

Leader—Thomas.

M. I. T. GETS FENCING COACH

Boston—Joe Lewis, five times national senior foils champion, has turned professional to coach fencing at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was a member of three Olympic teams and captain of the M. I. T. squad in 1936.

Piepul Pounds Through Army

Completely surrounded by foemen, fullback Piepul of Notre Dame (at left in black jersey), nevertheless kicked up a lot of dust at Yankee Stadium before he was brought down by Army tackler on the opening kickoff. Notre Dame won, 14 to 0.

It Has Been A Long Time Between Upsets For Zuppke; But He Makes Up For Losses

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Robert Carl Zuppke, 60-year-old University of Illinois coach, isn't known as one of the country's cagiest football teachers for nothing.

It has been a long time between upsets these past few years, but the wily Dutchman made up for lost time last week when the Illini astounded the football faithful by whipping Michigan's hitherto undefeated eleven in decisive fashion.

Zuppke and his teams have been sneaking up on the blind side of powerful opponents for many years.

"Just like Minnesota in 1916," said Zuppke after Saturday's game in explanation of the upset 16-7 victory. That was the year the Gophers' "dream team" rolled over all its opponents up to the Illinois game by scores of 46 to 0 or worse, its victims including elevens at Iowa, Wisconsin and Chicago.

Illinois had lost two games and rated not even an outside chance to win. Walter Camp, father of the "All-America" selections and an astute grid critic, came west to see the slaughter, but instead saw Zuppke's eleven clip the Gophers, 14 to 9.

Situation Somewhat the Same

The situation was somewhat the same last week. Illinois had lost three and tied one game, scoring only six points. But they simply would not be downed, stopping sensational Tom Harmon and all the others.

"All our men were functioning effectively for the first time this season," said Zuppke. "That Harmon is a great back, don't take any credit away from him. The boys were just determined to stop him. My boys had everything to gain and nothing to lose and the game was a challenge to them. If they were to make anything out of the season, they had to do it against Michigan."

Bob Zuppke

In 1921 Zuppke pulled another big upset. That was the year Ohio State needed only a victory over the Illini, which had not won aconference game, for a share of the title. Eleven men played the entire game and won on an intercepted pass, 7 to 0.

Knocked Badgers Out

Illinois knocked Wisconsin out of the conference title in 1922 when Rune Clark drop-kicked a field goal to whip the Badgers, 3-0, in a game rated a setup for the favored eleven. Other surprise decisions for Zuppke's teams include a 19 to 0 victory over Southern California in 1934; a 6-0 triumph over Northwestern in 1937 and a 17 to 7 decision over Army and Red Cagle in 1929.

Zuppke's last Big Ten title team was in 1927 when the Illini were strong claimants to the national championship.

Zuppke's machine entertains Wisconsin, Big Ten cellar team, this week. The Badgers have lost three conference games. Illinois has yet to play Ohio State and Chicago after Saturday's test.

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HARMON STILL LEADS

Harmon, despite his disappointing showing against Illinois, still leads in ground gained with 311 yards in 43 tries, an average of seven yards plus...This week he will trp to romp against Minnesota's ninth-place outfit...Paul Soper, Northwestern junior, rates second in ground gained with 235 yards...George Paskvan of Wisconsin is third and Don Clawson of Northwestern fourth in this department...Clawson and Soper will be hard put to increase their yardage this week when the Wildcats take on Purdue's aroused eleven...Hal Hursh of Indiana and Nile Kinnick of Iowa continue to lead the aerial artists although both were off a bit last Saturday. ...Each completed one pass... Kinnick will be tossing them at Notre Dame Saturday and Hursh at Fordham.

Floyd Dean, Iowa back injured in the Indiana game, is ready for action again...Ohio State, after hurdling several dangerous Big Ten teams, can take it easy this

So-Called Armistice in Politics Terminated

Washington, Nov. 7.—(AP) — The final twirl of the pen that repealed the arms embargo put an end to the so-called political armistice which has existed for the past two months.

Republicans now are free to take a pot-shot at Democrats wherever they catch them. Anti-new dealers can return to their sport of gunning for the administration.

The brief truce gave both parties a chance to take stock of their situation, however, even though it was not a complete truce in the full meaning of the word.

Neither the Republicans, the anti-new dealers nor the new dealers wholly laid down their arms. They simply brought their guns to a "rest" position, butts on the ground, and kept a tight clasp on the barrel, to be able to snap back quickly to a firing stance.

All sorts of jockeying went on in the interim. The Republicans sought to maneuver themselves into a situation where the leap year election light would depict them as the peace party. Democrats generally joined in combatting this effort.

Some Republicans argued that it would do their party no good if their vote on embargo repeal reflected partisanship. Nevertheless, more than one voted like the far western member whose friend met him in a Capitol corridor last Friday and asked him when he was going home.

"Tonight," replied the westerner. "I've already made reservations and bought my ticket. But I'm going to vote not to adjourn."

Chicago Students Plan Action Over Football Problem

Chicago, Nov. 7.—(AP) — The Daily Maroon, University of Chicago student newspaper, reported today that 500 "loyal graduates" were planning a "secret meeting to decide on a way" to solve the school's football dilemma.

The paper did not disclose the time or place of the meeting, but said further details would be published later in the week. Chicago will observe homecoming this week end when the grid team meets Ohio State's powerful machine.

The paper, in an editorial, also lambasted the school's football policy and suggested the alumni be encouraged to "buy us a good football team."

The editorial said, in part:

"The university has failed to encourage its football - minded alumni enough so that they would be induced to give additional money for athletic scholarships, which would in turn help attract gifts from other alumni. For this violation of common business sense, it is to be censured.

"We hear happily of a secret meeting of 500 loyal graduates of the university to decide on a way out of this mess, which is more intolerable to their pride than it is to President Hutchins.

"We are glad that even if the university does not feel free to institute athletic scholarships at the expense of the regular scholarship holders it's alumni are interested enough to devote time and, we hope, money to buy us a good football team."

The Maroon eleven has won one game of five played, scoring a total of 12 points to 201 for the opposition.

SHOW MUST GO ON

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)—The show must go on whether the University of Chicago football team wins any games or not.

Many years ago fraternities and clubs on the midway campus began putting on a Friday show called "Victory Vanities" in conjunction with homecoming celebrations. That was back in the days when the Maroons won their share of grid games.

Now they don't but "Victory Vanities" and homecoming are scheduled this weekend as usual. Not even the fact that the Maroons meet big and powerful Ohio State next day makes any difference.

FLOYD COVILL IS LEADER IN STATE CONFERENCE RACE

Former Amboy Player is Tops With 19 Points In Four Games

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 7. — (AP) — Floyd Covill, former Amboy high school athlete, now a State Normal fullback, is the new individual scoring leader in the Illinois Intercollegiate Conference football race.

Covill counted seven points against Elmhurst, running his total to 19, one point ahead of the Clark brothers of Carthage.

Player, Pos., Team	g	td	pat	fg	tp
Covill, B, Normal	4	3	1	0	19
J. Clark, B, Carth.	2	3	0	0	18
W. Clark, B, Carth.	2	3	0	0	18
P. Stewart, B, West.	3	2	1	0	13
D.Rosback, E, Elmh.	4	2	0	0	12
S. Smith, B, North.	2	1	1	0	7
J. Bucich, B, Norm.	4	1	1	0	7

BOWLING

LADIES' LEAGUE

The Hi-Way Grill won three games from the Dixon Recreation last night with A. Smith starring for the winners with 585 and A. Daschbach for the losers with 519.

Dr. Bends won two from the Soda Grill with K. Slaats starring for Bends with 504 and S. Carson for the Grill with 452.

The Ideal Cafe took two from Amboy Royal Blue with H. Huyett shooting high for the Ideal with 490 and E. Donnelly leading for Amboy with 376.

Bon Ton won two from Ray Carsons Service with P. Carson hitting 502 to lead her own team and P. Detweiler high for Bon Ton with 501.

LADIES' LEAGUE
Monday, Nov. 6, 1939

	W	L
Hi-Way Grill	16	2
Ray Carsons Service	10	8
Ideal Cafe	10	8
Soda Grill	9	9
Bon Ton	9	9
Dr. Bends	8	10
Amboy Royal Blue	7	11
Dixon Recreation	3	15

Team Records

High team game— Hi-Way Grill	923
High team series— Hi-Way Grill	2547

Individual Records

High Ind. game— A. Smith	231
High Ind. series— A. Smith	585

Dixon Recreation

M. Miller	142	122	131—	395
Coleman	150	141	158—	449
A. Miller	114	108	127—	349
Kiefer	132	173	139—	444
Daschbach	206	164	149—	519
	80	80	80—	240
Total	824	788	784—	2396

Hi-Way Grill

Klein	126	192	172—	490
Millard	142	131	154—	427
Poole	133	161	169—	463
Shawger	186	171	186—	543
Smith	231	196	158—	585
	13	13	13—	39
Total	831	864	852—	2547

Dr. Bends

Slaats	185	187	132—	504
Bend	125	123	114—	362
Egan	146	99	151—	396
Noble	121	150	129—	400
Hoff	115	168	134—	417
	66	66	66—	198
Total	758	793	726—	2277

Soda Grill

M. Stevens	149	131	149—	429
S. Carson	151	156	145—	452
Hyer	154	120	141—	415
Hoberg	109	117	177—	403
Schumacher	109	91	77—	277
	84	84	84—	252
Total	756	699	773—	2228

Ideal Cafe

Legore	131	114	133—	378
Schertner	166	144	158—	468
Krahenbuhl	141	134	129—	404
H. Carson	122	160	114—	396
Huyett	163	161	166—	490
	40	40	40—	120
Total	763	753	740—	2256

Amboy Royal Blue

Leake	92	122	161—	375
Spangler	109	124	106—	339
A. Donnelly	113	101	116—	330
Boehle	90	108	125—	323
E. Donnelly	104	106	166—	376
	160	160	160—	480
Total	668	721	834—	2223

Ray Carson's

P. Carson	120	165	217—	502
A. Finch	146	139	146—	431
Wallin	80	90	100—	270
Cook	209	139	133—	481
Meinke	136	143	194—	473
	38	38	38—	114
Total	729	714	828—	2271

Bon Ton

Neff	147	172	141—	460
Dwyre	133	175	153—	461
May	153	158	177—	488
G. Finch	156	171	125—	452
Detweiler	171	158	172—	501
	39	39	39—	117
Total	799	873	807—	2479

CITY LEAGUE
Tuesday, Nov. 7

7 p. m.—
Strub & Schultz vs K of C
Three Deuces vs Beiers Salesmen

9 p. m.—
Rheinhold vs Myers Royal Blue
Fallstrom vs Amboy.

DIVING STAR SERIOUSLY ILL

Los Angeles, Nov. 7—(AP)—Georgia Coleman, diving star who has been in ill health for months, was back in a hospital today in a serious condition from a liver ailment.

Attendants reported she was "resting comfortable" a few hours after physician, Dr. Blythe W. Pahl, said: "She's very weak—anything can happen."

ON THE SIDE

EDDIE BRIETZ' ROUNDUP OF SPORTS GOSSIP

New York, Nov. 7.—(AP) — Carl Snavely is telling inquirers he has no desire to move to California . . . If Gus Lesnevich hasn't been on the shelf too long, he might surprise a lot of people November 17, including Mr. Billy Conn. . . . New York votes on parimutuels today. Majority seems to favor the machines, but the track crowd is not so sure.

Today's Guest Star.

Morris Frank, Houston Post: "This Jack Crain, Texas U.'s sophomore back, is just like having scarlet fever in your house ....You know it's going to strike you some time—All you can do is wait and pray.

Philadelphia, Lake Placid, New Haven and Boston are bidding for the National A. A. U. hockey championships in March....We are tipped two Southwestern coaches are going to go out on their ear, rain or shine, and that one of the up New York state big shots is not answering the door bell....Flash—Bert Niehoff, Jersey City manager, predicts Carl Hubbell will do a sensational comeback next year.

Wins His Letter.

Charlie Harris of San Antonio, goes to the head of this week's class in guessperting....He took a shot at all eight of our football puzzlers and called 'em all except the Furman-Virginia Poly game ....More than 50 jerned in the fun....Iowa and Boston college were the teams that done 'em wrong.

Ray Flaherty of the Washington Redskins says the best back in the east is Jim Gillette of Virginia—says he'd take him over Kinnick of Iowa.

He Should Worry.

Eugene Young, Notre Dame trainer, is getting ready for the W. K. rainy day....He's a graduate in law and is licensed in four states....He also is taking a medical course....And just as insurance, he's bought a nut farm in Mississippi.

Hawkeyes Upset Irish Once; May Do It Saturday

Iowa City, Ia., Nov. 7—(AP)—Back in 1921 a Notre Dame football team, riding the crest of a 20-game winning streak, came out to the tall corn state to battle Iowa's Hawkeyes.

The Irish captain was Eddie Anderson, a native Iowan who gave a fiery pep talk at a Friday night bonfire rally. He predicted, quite naturally, a Notre Dame victory.

The following day, however, the Hawkeyes surprised the Irish with a 10 to 7 triumph.

History may repeat itself next Saturday. Notre Dame, now directed by Elmer Layden of Davenport, Ia., instead of the beloved Knute Rockne, once more comes to the Hawkeye stronghold. The Irish have won six straight games and are gunning for an undefeated season.

The young Eddie Anderson of 1921 now is Dr. Edward N. Anderson, the Iowa coach. There'll not be a pep talk about a Notre Dame victory this Friday. This is one game Anderson wants the Irish to lose.

It's possible he'll get his wish. The crafty Anderson, who came here last spring from Holy Cross, has developed a team that has exceeded the fondest hopes of the most enthusiastic Hawkeye fan. The 1939 record shows four victories in five games and it is so surprising some Iowans have to check the facts to convince themselves everything is true.

Anderson, a born optimist, has inspired a small squad that had won only two games in two years and produced a fighting ball club that believes it can beat anybody, including Notre Dame. Iowa manpower is so limited the head coach used only three substitutes in beating Purdue, 4 to 0, for the Hawkeyes' third Western Conference victory.

The "iron men," however, don't mind the extra work. They filled their dressing room at Purdue with "Bring on Notre Dame" yells. Well, the Irish are coming, and they may again regret an invasion of Hawkeye territory.

FIGHTS TONIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago—Pete Lello, 136, Gary, Ind., stopped Bobby McIntyre, 134, Detroit (10).

New Orleans — Jimmy Perrin, 127, New Orleans, outpointed Eddie Lander, 127, Chicago (12).

New York — Victor Dellicurti, 150¾, New York, outpointed Cal Cagni, 155, Cresskill, N. J., (8).

Baltimore—Lew Feldman, 130, New York, outpointed Pete Galiano, 139½, Baltimore (10).

Newark, N. J.—Vincent Reed, 139, Newark, outpointed William Henry Cheatum, 140, Newark (8).

Hazleton, Pa.—Tony Cisco, 162, Norristown, Pa., outpointed Jackie Munley, 165, Old Forge, Pa. (10).

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Market at a Glance

Chicago—
Wheat lower; early gains lost.
Corn weak.
Cattle most prices steady.
Hogs 5@20 off; top 6.60.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec	87¾	89	87¼	88
May	86⅞	87¾	86⅝	86¾
July	85¼	85⅞	84¾	84⅞
CORN—				
Dec	50½	50⅞	50⅜	50⅜
May	53	53½	52⅞	52⅞
July	54¼	54¼	53¾	53¾
OATS—				
Dec	36⅞	37⅛	36¾	36¾
May	35⅝	35⅞	35⅝	35⅝
July	33	33¼	33	33⅛
SOY BEANS—				
Dec	96½	98½	95¾	96¼
May	98½	1.00	91¼	97¾
July	97	98½	95¼	95½
RYE—				
Dec	54½	54¾	53¼	53¼
May	55	55½	54⅛	54¼
July	55⅜	55⅜	54⅜	54⅜
LARD—				
Nov	6.20	6.22	6.20	6.22
BELLIES—				
Jan.				7.00

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Nov. 7 — (AP) — No cash wheat sales.

Corn No. 2 mixed 50; No. 2 mixed (mainly white) 59¾; No. 1 yellow 50@51¾; No. 2, 49¾@51¾; No. 3, 48¾@49¾; No. 4, 46¾@48½; No. 1 white 61@61¾; No. 2, 61¼.

Oats No. 2 white (weevily) 39; No. 3 (weevily) 38¼; No. 3 mixed 36@37½; sample grade mixed 36; No. 2 white 39½; No. 9, 38; sample grade white 36.

Soy beans No. 2 yellow 96¼@97; No. 3, 95¾@96¾; No. 4, 93½@96.

Barley, malting 55@62 nom; feed 33@43 nom; No. 3 barley 56@59; No. 4, 50; No. 2 malting 59; No. 3 malting 57@61.

Timothy seed 3.90@4.15 nom.

Red clover seed 12.50@15.00 nom.

Red top 8.50@9.00 nom.

Alsike 14.00@17.00 nom.

Alfalfa 17.50@22.50 nom.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)—(U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Salable hogs 15,000; total 20,000; opened 5-10 lower than Monday's average; later trade generally 10-20 off; top 6.60 sparingly; good and choice 160-200 lbs largely 6.45-60; 200-300 lbs averages largely 6.40-55; good 330-450 lbs packing sows 5.75-6.15; lighter weights to 6.25; extreme heavies 5.50-75.

Salable cattle 9,000; salable calves 1,200; active trade on yearlings and light steers scaling 1,000 lbs downward; firm to shade higher; fed heifers sharing this activity on steers; choice kinds medium weight and weighty steers steady in small way, but bidding 15-25 lower on most long yearlings and light and medium weight steers; slightly better than 11.00 bid on yearlings; numerous loads 9.50-10.50; sprinkling 10.75-11.00; medium to good heifers 10.25 down; strictly choice kinds absent; choice kinds 1,352 lbs steers 10.80; several loads with weight 10.00-40; but very few heavies sold; stockers continued active at 10.00 down to 8.25; with light stock calves up to 10.50 and better; cows strong; bulls 10-15 higher; vealers steady to 10.50 down; up to 7.25 paid rather freely for weighty sausage bulls.

Salable sheep 8,000; total 9,000; late Monday top native lambs 9.75 to small killers and shippers; best fed comebacks 9.60; small clipped lambs 9.10; scaling 91 lbs; today's trade fat lambs slow; undertone weak; as yet very few sales; opening bids and few sales around 9.25-50; on good to choice native lambs; best held 9.60 and above; good yearlings 7.75-8.00; native slaughter ewes 3.50-4.00.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: Cattle 10,000; hogs 13,000; sheep 6,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)—Potatoes 89, on track 362, total U S shipments 434; firm best stock all sections, supplies liberal; demand Uebraska bliss triumphs good, Idaho russets moderate, northern fair; sacked per cwt Idaho russet burbanks U S No. 1, 1.75@2.00; U S No. 2, 1.35@40; Nebraska bliss triumphs cotton sacks washed U S No. 2, 1.35@40; Nebraska bliss triumphs cotton sacks washed U S No. 1, 2.10; 85 to 90 per cent U S No. 1, cotton sacks washed 2.00@05; unwashed 1.65; burlap sacks washed90. 1; unwashed 1.60@65; Colorado red McClures U S No. 1, burlap sacks washed 1.80; Minnesota Red River valley section cobblers 90 per cent U S No. 1, 1.10@15; North Dakota Red River valley section cobblers 90 per cent U S No. 1, 1.10@12½; Early Ohios 75 to 90 per cent U S No. 1, 1.10@20; Wisconsin cobblers U S No. 1, fine quality heavy to large 1.45.

Poultry live, 43 trucks, easy; leghorn springs 10½; ducks 4½ lbs uup white 13½; small colored 10½; small white 11; young tom turkeys 15½; other prices unchanged.

Dressed turkeys, steady; young toms, A, 19; B, 17; C, 14; young hens, A, 23, B, 20, C, 16; old toms 17, old hens 21.

Butter 606,979, steady; prices unchanged.

Eggs 2,472, firm, fresh graded, gfirsts 24; refrigerator extras 18¼; standards 18, firsts 17¼, other prices unchanged.

Butter futures close: storage standards Nov 27.50; Dec 27.60; Feb. 27.70.

Egg futures close: refrig stds Nov 17.90, Dec 18.10, Jan 17.50.

DIES "GETS UNDER THE HIDE."

Rock Island, Ill., Nov. 1— The President calls it sordid for Mr. Dies to publish the names of some of his high salaried pay rollers—communistic or fellow travelers—who are trying to make us like Russia, in a straightjacket.

Truth rurts; it gets under the hide.

Congress should vote Mr. Dies 5 million dollars to carry on this investigation to the end because he has done a good job, he does not whitewash the inner circle about the White House.

E. C. Burke.
—Chicago Tribune.

Read the Classified Ad page in tonight's Telegraph.

CORN PRICES MAY AVERAGE HIGHER THAN 1938 LEVEL

"Corn prices from now until May are likely to average somewhat higher than in the corresponding period of last year—when No. 3 yellow at Chicago averaged 49 cents a bushel," according to a current issue of Illinois Farm Economics.

"However," write E. J. Working and G. L. Jordan, of the agricultural economics department at the University of Illinois College of Agriculture, in the publication, "there are a number of uncertain factors which will likely affect the average level and the course of prices during the next seven months and which should be watched carefully in appraising price prospects.

"The movement of prices after May, 1940, will depend largely upon what are then the prospects for the 1940 crop and upon government measures designed to control the corn situation.

No. 3 Yellow Corn

"In the period November to May, 1938-1939, No. 3 yellow corn at Chicago averaged 49.1 cents a bushel. In the absence of government control, fundamental supply and demand conditions would indicate a slightly higher price during the corresponding months of 1939-1940. Although the supply of corn for the current year—3,093 million bushels—is about 6 per cent larger than last year, and the supply of all feed grains combined nearly 4 per cent larger, supplies of corn for each animal unit are but little different from either 1937 or 1938, and total supplies of feed grains for each animal unit are somewhat smaller than in either of those years. Business activity and hence general demand conditions promise to average better in 1939-1940 than in 1938-1939.

"During August, it was announced that the government would keep off the market the entire amount of corn then under seal—257 million bushels—until it was needed by livestock producers or until prices advanced sufficiently to justify the release. Since total stocks of old corn, as of October 1, have been estimated at 561 million bushels, it would appear that there are more than 300 million bushels of 1938 corn which were carried over and are not under government control.

Regarding Carryover

"Most of the 300 million bushel carryover not under government loan," continue the university economists," is probably in the hands of those who expect to feed it during the coming year and to replace it by the new-crop corn under government loan. If such is the case, there may be only very small quantities of corn available in market channels at less than the loan value. Altogether, it seems most likely that while Chicago prices may be below the loan prices during much of the 1939-1940 season, they will at times rise to, or even somewhat above, the loan rate. Present indications are that the loan rate for 1939-1940 may be about 61 cents a bushel.

"Those who have corn to sell and are eligible for loans would probably do well to seal their corn and sell it only in case market prices rise to a point where it can be sold for more than the loan. On the other hand, those who must sell corn which is not eligible for a government loan should not count on a normal seasonal movement of prices."

PREDICT WINTER WHEAT CROP TO BE LOWER IN '40

Chicago, Nov. 7— (AP)— The first estimates of probable United States winter wheat production in 1940 have predicted the crop would be sharply below normal as a result of an unprecedented fall drought in the southwest.

Crop experts here who made tentative forecasts seven months before the harvest said current poor conditions indicated production might fall to 375,000,000 to 415,000,00 bushels. This would compare with the 1939 harvest of 550,710,000 bushels.

The domestic winter wheat harvest has fallen below 400,000,000 bushels only once in many years—in 1933, when the crop was only 376,518,000 bushels, partly as a result of a dry spell the previous fall.

The average of five experts' estimates on 1939 corn production was 2,555,000,000 bushels, which if borne out by final harvest returns, would give the United States its largest corn harvest, with the exception of 1937, in seven years. Last year's harvest totaled 2,542,238,000 bushels and in 1937 the harvest was 2,651,284,000 bushels.

Individual estimates of probable winter wheat acreage ranged from 42,501,000 to 43,317,000 acres. The area seeded last fall totaled 46,173,000 acres. The government increased its wheat acreage allotment this year.

Approximately 1,000,000 persons annually visit the British Museum and Kew Gardens in London.

Election in 17 Counties Watched by Politicos

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Democratic and Republican leaders watched closely today's voting in 17 downstate counties in each of which a county commissioner was to be elected for a three year term.

Weather was "perfect"—sunshiny and warmer than usual—but the balloting was expected to be light in most of the counties. Today's voting affected only counties with commission form of government.

Political control of only three county boards was at stake in Randolph, Wabash and Williamson counties, where the term of one of the two Democrats had expired.

Democrats now control 11 of the three-member boards and Republicans the remaining six.

Other counties holding elections are Alexander, Calhoun, Edwards, Hardin, Johnson, Massac, Monroe, Perry, Pope, Pulaski, Union, Morgan and Scott.

There were local propositions put to referendum today in a few counties. In Johnson county, voters ballotted upon a $106,000 refunding bond calculated to retire the county's outstanding indebtedness and put the county on a cash basis.

In Alexander and Pope counties where boards are under Republican control, there was no opposition to Republican candidates.

Possible changes of party trends in ballot were apparently considered by politicians the most significant feature of the contests. A change might be taken as an indication of how the counties may go in the 1940 elections when presidential, gubernatorial and other state offices will be at stake.

Discuss Saving Wild Life Along the Mississippi

Winona, Minn., Nov. 7—(AP)—A picture of dead fish life and a ruined half million dollar muskrat crop along the Mississippi river was drawn today as half a hundred conservationists and army engineers sat down at a conference to discuss a proposed lowering of the pool levels of the river this winter.

Leading a large delegation of Izaak Walton league members here from Dubuque, Ia., C. R. Hallowell, widely-known Iowa conservationist, said in an interview just before the start of the conference:

"The proposed lowering of the pool levels of the river dams will wipe out all bass and game fishing in Dubuque, Rock Island and the Davenport area."

The conference, sponsored by the Walton league, was presided over by Paul Clement, St. Paul, president of the Minnesota chapter. In attendance were state conservation department officials from the United States bureau of fisheries and biological survey and members of Walton chapters of four states.

Also arriving was a group of army engineers headed by Col. Malcolm Elliott of St. Louis, division engineer, who said he would explain what the engineers intended to do with the pool levels.

The army has proposed to lower the pool levels of various upper river dams to create a greater flow of water to the lower river and improve navigation, which has been interfered with by the drought in the southern Mississippi valley. Engineers also said the lower levels would protect river structures from ice.

Besides destruction of fish, Walton League members contended that reduction of the upper river water levels would leave muskrats "high and dry", ruining a fur crop estimated at $500,000 annually in the four states.

Introduce Resolution In House of Commons For Financing War

London, Nov. 7— (AP) — Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, introduced a resolution in the House of Commons today to empower the treasury to borrow up to £250,000,000 (about $1,000,000,000) for financing the war.

The chancellor described the resolution as "similar to those given by the war loans act passed annually."

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Dutch, Belgian—

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anniversary celebration, marked today by parading troops, guns and planes, took on added importance this year because three major powers are locked in war.

The stalemated conflict between Germany and the British-French allies gives Moscow greater weight in swinging the balance of European power and consequently other nations have paid closer attention to words spoken during the three-day celebration.

The soviet war commissar, Marshall Klementi Voroshiloff, reviewing his forces in Red square, said Russia "must be prepared," though neutral.

The communist international — organized in Moscow to spread communism throughout the world—observed the anniversary with a manifesto urging workers of Britain and France to halt the war.

Premier Molotoff struck a keynote last night when he predicted the overthrow of capitalism and inferentially invited the masses in foreign countries to work toward that end.

United States communists celebrated by adopting a new party policy which drops the "popular front" technique of cooperating with other leftist organizations to fight fascism.

Negotiations Halted

Russia's negotiations with Finland over soviet territorial demands halted during the Russian holiday.

The Finns imposed mail, telephone and telegraph censorship while waiting resumption of Moscow talks.

A sudden visit by King Leopold of the Belgians to Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands aroused widespread interest since both of the low countries have suffered from the war and fear even greater trouble.

There were suggestions that the two nations might be trying to reconcile their foreign policies in the face of war. Both have suffered from the British-French blockade aimed at Germany and both fear the nazis may invade their soil as a short cut to northern France and the channel ports.

Germany's high command reported three allied planes had been shot down on the western front, but said that otherwise there was only "minor scouting and weak artillery fire" on both sides.

French military sources said their troops were holding to the Forbach salient despite intermittent German artillery fire designed to soften French defenses.

A spectacular aerial dogfight was reported last night by the French, who asserted that nine of 26 German raiders had been downed.

Nazi Press Criticizes Meeting of Belgian and Netherlands Rulers

Berlin, Nov. 7— (AP) — The Berlin press, with a unanimity indicating orders from higher up, today criticized in identical words the meeting of King Leopold of the Belgians with Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands.

"Alleged defense by neutrals against England's blockade practice, contrary to international law as it is, has been restricted to paper protests and lame resolutions behind closed doors," all the papers said.

Captions over dispatches from the Hague indicated German dissatisfaction.

"Paper protests—the royal visit in Holland," said a headline in Ded Angriff, organ of Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels.

"Once again a lame resolution?" asked a Nachtaus-Gabe caption.

The standardized comment said "the possibilities for the cause of neutrals, as offered in the fuehrer's peace speech, have been in nowise taken advantage of by them x x x.

"In any case the neutrals only too subserviently have been steaming into the Downs and passing under the x x x British blockade."

(The Downs is an anchorage on England's southern coast used by British warships for the examination of foreign vessels to prevent contraband from reaching Germany.

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INDUSTRIALISTS FACE PROBLEMS OF EXPANSIONS

Next Few Weeks Expected To Give Decision on Big Outlays

New York, Nov. 7—(AP)—Hard-headed chiefs of the United States' great industrial machine today faced the problem of gearing it to war-time needs with expenditure of huge sums for plant expansion.

Capacity or near-capacity operations in steel, machine tool, aircraft manufacturing and other important industries forced executives of many companies to ponder the wisdom of spending money for additional capacity to handle war orders, actual or prospective.

Already there has been cautious stepping up of plant expenditures in aircraft, steel, electric power, oil and chemical industries.

Engineering News-Record, a trade publication, reported October awards for industrial building, such as new factories and power plants, totaled $49,910,000 against $12,814,000 in October, 1938. The total surpassed the $41,325,000 in October, 1937, the previous big year of plant expansion since the 1929 Wall Street crash cut the flow of capital into investment.

Next Few Weeks To Tell

An official of a leading engineering firm said the next few weeks would reveal whether American industry was prepared to plunge into the heaviest spending of the past decade for plant improvements.

Many corporation heads are giving the matter close study because of the exhaustion in available capacity by the business upswing and prospects of war business," he said. "But at the moment there seems to be a tendency to wait and see just how much of the talked-of war orders will become reality."

Most executives approached for comment agreed that business expansion had proceeded to a stage where larger spending for new plants would be necessary if industry holds its gains.

Rated one of the main drawbacks was the suspension of corporate financing since the start of the war. However, the financial district has high hopes for resumption soon of financing. Bankers are preparing to test the market about the middle of November with a large public utility re-funding operation—a $42,225,000 bond and note issue of the Jersey Central Power & Light Co.

Power in Demand

Utility companies, to meet record-breaking demand for electric power, have increased capital programs considerably the past few months. Some trade sources forecast that 1940 would see the heaviest spending in that field since 1930.

The steel industry, keystone of mechanized warfare, has pushed production to the highest operation rate since 1929 and to a record ingot outturn on basis of enlarged capacity. The United States Steel Corp. pointed the way with recently-announced plans for increasing its Irvin works at Clairton, Pa., involving construction of three new mills expected to cost upward of $10,000,000.

U-Boats of Belligerents Banned From Panama

Panama, Nov. 7—(AP)—Submarines of belligerent nations were prohibited from entering Panamanian waters, ports, havens or anchorages except in cases of emergency, in a government decree issued today.

The measure was aimed to prevent violation of Panama's neutrality or of rendering invalid the "effects of the Panama declaration relative to the continental maritime security zone."

(The republic of Panama on Sept. 11 prohibited ships of belligerent powers from "shuttling" between the Canal zone and Panamanian waters. This meant that a belligerent merchantman which already had spent the three months permitted by international law in a Canal zone port could not then move to Panamanian waters for a similar period of refuge.)

WEDNESDAY SPECIALS
MEAT MART
SLICED BACON and PORK STEAK 15c lb
SIRLOIN STEAK 18c lb
VEAL SHOULDER STEAK ...... 20c lb
Chuck Roast 18c lb
HAMBURGER and Fresh SPARE RIBS 12½c lb
PORK LIVER and BULK LARD .... 7½c lb
Polish Sausage 18c lb
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Terse News—

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man of this city and C. V. Glosser of Ashton appear for the plaintiff while Attorney Fred Gardner of Rochelle is representing the Pipe Line company.

BUREAU CO. CLINIC

Dr. George T. Palmer of Springfield will be the examining physician at the next Bureau county chest clinic to be held in the dispensary at the court house in Princeton, Nov. 15 from 8 a. m., to 3 p. m. Appointments should be made at least five days in advance with the family physician or the directing nurse, Ruth Olson.

LEE CENTER ROBBERY

Deputy Sheriff Lyle Snader was called to Lee Center this morning to investigate a robbery which occurred during the night. A tool house belonging to the Rocho Construction Company of Freeport had been entered during the night and about $100 worth of equipment for caterpillar tractors stolen. The lock on the door of the tool house was broken and the building ransacked.

SELLING SCHOOL

The third in a series of free lessons on retail selling, being conducted at the Dixon high school music room each Tuesday evening, will be given by the instructress, Miss Eleanor Appel at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the music room. These lessons, open to all interested, have been attracting about fifty business men and women each Tuesday night.

Court Refuses Release Of Witnesses to Help Defense of Annenberg

Chicago, Nov 7—(AP)—The federal court refused today to release grand jury witnesses from their oaths" and he had no power defense of M. L. Annenberg and others against an indictment charging use of the mails and interstate wires to further a lottery scheme.

Judge James H. Wilkerson ruled the witnesses were "bound by their oats" and he had no power to release them. He permitted defendants who testified before the grand jury to confer with their lawyers, a request acceded to by the prosecution.

In overruling a defense request for minutes of the grand jury session, Judge Wilkerson said the granting of such a motion would be of "far reaching importance" since it would "radically change" practices of grand jury secrecy.

Defense counsel objected to a suggestion from the court that the two lottery indictments, one alleging use of the mails, the other use of interstate wires, be consolidated into one case for trial. Judge Wilkerson said he would hear arguments on the issue in five days.

Dixon Woman Loses Suit in Wisconsin

Madison, Wis., Nov. 7—(AP)—The Wisconsin Supreme Court refused today to allow Mrs. Bertha Lawver of Dixon, Ill., $15,000 damages for the death of her son, Walter H. Wilson, on the grounds of the Mount Horeb school district October 11, 1938. Wilson, a CCC employe, was struck by a flagpole dislodged while a group was playing on the grounds. Mrs. Lawver's suit was dismissed by Circuit Judge Alvin C. Reis and the Supreme Court upheld the decision.

Negro Politician Dies Following Shooting

Mound Bayou, Miss., Nov. 7—(AP)—Eugene P. Booze, Negro Republican leader who was shot from ambush here last night as he was leaving his office, died today in a Greenville hospital.

Booze attributed the shooting to "political jealousy" in a local feud in this town comprised wholly of Negroes. His chauffeur, Andrew Polk, was wounded.

Several weeks ago a sister-in-law of Booze, Stella Montgomery, was shot and killed by police in Booze's home. Officers declared the woman threatened them with a butcher knife when they tried to arrest her for violating a court order to stay out of the Booze home.

No Honeymoon

Lansdowne, Pa., Nov. 7—(AP)—A bride of 10 days went back to her parents' home in Orange, N. J., today—cheated of her honeymoon by death.

The husband she married just before his last attack of an old ailment they both knew would sometime be fatal will be buried tomorrow.

Since their courtship began three years ago, the girl, Lillian Mullin, and the young man, Dwight A. Bradley, former Atlantic City high school football player, postponed their marriege several times because Bradley suffered recurrent attacks of stomach ulcers.

Ten days ago as they drove from Orange to this Philadelphia suburb where Bradley's parents live he suffered another attack.

They stopped at Morrisville, Pa., and were married by a justice of the peace, then called a doctor. He ordered Bradley brought home. His bride and his parents were at his bedside when he died last Saturday.

Armistice Day—

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tableau. The entire program will last only one hour and all patriotic citizens are requested to attend.

In view of the fact that Armistice Day has been made a national holiday by congressional act and all municipal, state and federal offices will be closed the co-operation of the merchants of Dixon has been requested by the Legion to the extent that they close their places of business from 9:30 until 11:15 on Saturday morning. It is expected that most of the merchants will comply with this request so that these patriotic services will receive the support desired.

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said, "we will march 10,000 seamen down to Washington and picket the place 'till they drop."

UNION FIGHTS CHANGE

New York, Nov. 7—(AP)—Joseph Curran, president of the National Maritime Union (C. I. O.), predicted today that public criticism would "squelch" the proposal to change the registry of nine United States Lines ships so they could operate in belligerent zones.

"The shipowners," he said in a statement, "are trying to pull this country into the war. Even if they do change flags and their ships are sunk they will squawk for American protection.

He said "flag swapping" would put 10,000 American seamen out of work if other lines followed the United States Lines plan.

He reiterated the union plan to place 10,000 sailors "on the White House porch" and on picket lines before the Maritime Commission Offices in Washington.

Meanwhile, a strike of the International Longshoremen's Association (A. F. of L.) continued to tie up coastwise traffic in New York harbor. I. L. A. president Joseph P. Ryan said he had called a conference of representatives of all locals along the east coast for Thursday morning.

PERSONALS

Attorney Fred Gardner of Rochelle was a Dixon business visitor today.

Arthur Butler of Bradford township was in Dixon today on business.

Sheriff Jim White of Oregon was in Dixon this morning on business.

Attorney C. V. Glosser of Ashton was a business visitor today.

The monthly meeting of the Lee county board of supervisors will be held Wednesday at the court house.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whipperman have returned home from a visit with relatives in Pennsylvania.

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Kiwanis Club

Kiwanis club had its regular noon-day luncheon at Hotel Faber Monday. C. E. Yale, farm adviser of Lee county and former agriculture teacher in Mendota Township high school was guest speaker. His subject was "Duties and Benefits of Farm Advisers." The election committee reported on the nomination of officers for the next year. Election will take place in two weeks. The next meeting will be on November 20.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Freda Edwards returned to her home from Harris hospital Monday morning where she will recuperate from her recent illness.

Herman Mathesius who had his hand amputated at Harris hospital last week is coming along fine.

Lincoln P.-T. A.

The Lincoln school P.-T. A. held their regular meeting Monday evening. 85 members were present. The meeting opened with community singing, led by Mrs. Cannon and Miss Simmons. A short business meeting followed. This being National Education Week, this was a health program. A playlet was given by two 8th grade girls, Barbara Coss and Ann VanEtten, "Over the Chocolate Cup." Rev. Anderson of the Baptist church was guest speaker, his subject was "Designs of Education." 18 health certificates were awarded. Hostesses were mothers of grades 8—1, 8—2, 7—2, Mrs. George Anderson, Mrs. Walcott Van Etten, Mrs. Gabe Pohl, Mrs. Paul Stenger, Mrs. Peter Kaufman, Mrs. Rudolph Groman.

Plans were made for a food sale to be held in the near future and the P.-T. A. will furnish milk to the under-nourished children for the remainder of the year.

There will not be a meeting in December. The next meeting will be held on January 8th.

WHO AND WHERE

Mrs. Lucille Eddy, Mrs. Gertrude Sondgeroth, Mrs. Maria Graff and Mrs. Minnie Bassing were Sunday visitors at Earlville.

Mrs. Clara Gillette, Mrs. Carrie Schmehr, Mrs. Lillian Fisher were guests at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hoeffner in Amboy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fessler and son of Seneca were business visitors in Mendota Monday. They also visited Mr. Fessler's father at his home on 2nd avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Zolper were Peru visitors Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. George Kohl and daughter Elinda were Chicago visitors Sunday.

NAMES IN THE NEWS

Mrs. Selina Hubler who has been a patient at St. Mary's hospital, LaSalle, for the past several weeks returned to her home Monday.

Mrs. Henrietta Faber will attend the state Parent and Teachers meeting to be held today, Wednesday and Thursday at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago. Mrs. Faber is director of District No. 5.

Mrs. Hugh Kibbler will join her tomorrow. Mrs. Kibbler is 6th ice president of the state board.

Golf Auxiliary

The Ladies' Gilf Auxiliary met for luncheon at Uruanna's Sweet Shop Monday at 1:15, followed by cards at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Lennihan. There were 3 tables at cards and the prize was awarded to Mrs. Theo. Herbert.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lorenzo Mumford in two weeks. There will not be a luncheon at this meeting.

BIRTHS

LENNON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lennon, Jr., at the Chicago Lying-In hospital yesterday afternoon, a six and three-quarter pound son. Mr. Lennon, who is a chemist in the Walgreen laboratories in Chicago, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lennon of this city.

FASSLER: A son, born Saturday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fassler at Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital.

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NOVEMBER 7

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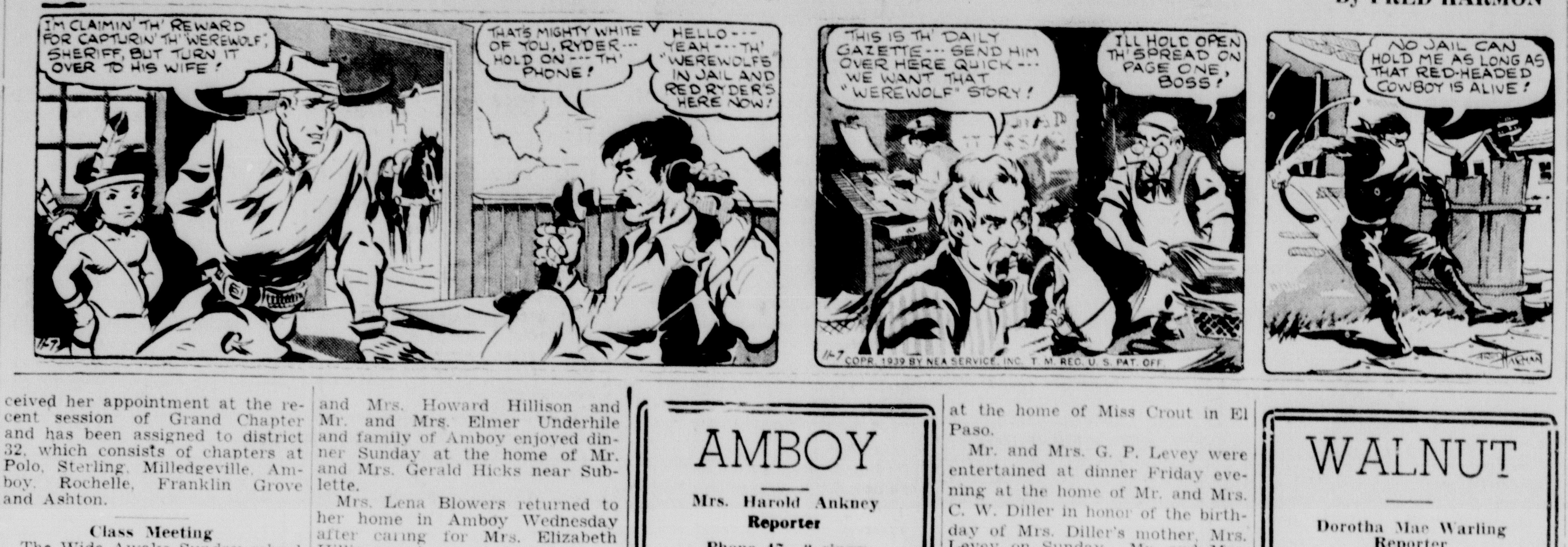

ASHTON

Mrs. W. H. Yenerich
Reporter
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Town Topics

William Bailey and Charles Surling of Elmhurst were guests several days the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kersten.

Miss Dorothy Kuethe, a graduate of the local high school with the class of '39, enrolled at the Metropolitan business college in Rockford for the winter term, yesterday morning. Dorothy is taking a private secretarial science course.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rettke of Palmyra township visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Rettke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Krug and daughters.

Mrs. John Borner of Odebolt, Iowa was a Sunday afternoon guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Kaecker. Mrs. Borner was called to Lee Center by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Hillison, last week and has remained for a visit with relatives and friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Travis were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hollenbeck in Rockford.

Richard Bailey and Wallace Yenerich, both students at North Central college at Naperville, were guests over Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley H. Yenerich.

Mr. and Mrs. Justus Wagner were guests over Friday night at the home of their son Harrison Wagner and family at Riverside. The Wagners were enroute to Bradenton, Fla., where they have a winter home.

The auditorium of the Evangelical church was nicely filled on Friday evening with an audience who listened to the play, "The House on the Sand," presented by a group of players from Grace Evangelical church in Dixon. Other social events presented some from attending. The free will offering which was taken was divided between the two churches.

At North Central Homecoming

Rev. H. R. Zager, sons Edward and Carl and daughter Myra, F. H. Boyd and daughter Esther, Evelyn, Frances and John Stephen, Paul Jennings and George Yenerich motored to Naperville Saturday and attended the homecoming activities at North Central college. Included in the morning's program was a pushball contest between the frosh and sophs. The freshmen were victorious over their upper classmen. Richard Bailey and Wallace Yenerich of this place participated in this event.

Shortly after the noon hour, a gigantic parade, featuring floats from all sections of the campus, formed at Old Main and led by the college band paraded through the main part of town and then out to the football field. Here the Red and Black gridders from Lake Forest, spurred by approximately 300 boosters, were ready to meet the North Central team. Lake Forest won the game by a score of 23 to 0.

The evening's program included the annual homecoming banquet and a play entitled "Land Ho, Sailor." The Ashtonites were unable to remain for the evening events. While at Naperville they enjoyed visiting with Ruth Boyd and Wallace Yenerich both of whom are students at North Central from here.

A Neighborly Deed

About twenty-five neighbors and friends of Gale Sanders came to his home last Thursday and harvested his corn crop for him. Mr. Sanders was injured in an auto accident early this fall and he has been unable to do his work. He was a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital in Dixon until last week. His many friends are glad to know that he has recovered sufficiently to be at home again, but returns for treatment twice a week. Mrs. Sanders gave the men dinner and the family is certainly very grateful to those who were so kind to them at this time. The Sanders family live on the O. W. Griffith farm north of town.

Y. P. M. C. Program

A fine audience was present at the Evangelical church on Sunday evening to listen to the program presented by the Young People's Missionary Circle. A playlet entitled "Aunt Margaret's Tenth," was given by Ruth Kersten, Mary Pfetzing, Ruth Heibenthal, Lois Kendall, Carletta Ann Stephan and Minerva Pfoutz. The evening's program included a devotional period and various musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental. An offering for the missions was received. The next meeting of the circle will be held on Monday evening, Nov. 13 in the church parlors.

Husbands' Night

On Friday evening, when members of the local Woman's club entertained their husbands at a pot luck supper in the parlors of the Methodist church, there were about 90 in attendance. A large variety of food satisfied all the hungry folks. A string ensemble furnished the music during the supper hour. The ensemble was composed of Mrs. Otto W. Schade, of Ashton, violin, and S. R. Samuelson, cellist and Miss Lola Quick, piano, both of Dixon. Mrs. T. A. Vaux led in group singing. Immediately after supper Frank Colehour of Rockford entertained with four reels of colored pictures covering territory through Canada, Nova Scotia and states in the Northwest.

The committee who arranged the evening's program and was responsible for serving the meal was composed of the Mesdames A. R. Kersten, Adam Witzel, William F. Klingebiel, William Schade, George Beach, Carson Cross, A. C. Nakkivil, Fred J. Kersten, Roy Faber, Earl Reid, and Henry Schaebacker Jr., and Miss Lillian Haenitsch.

Family Night

On Thursday evening of this week, members of the Bradford unit of the Home Bureau will gather at the Lee Center high school gymnasium for family night. A pot luck supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock and recreation will occupy the evening hours. All the families in the unit are invited.

Poultry and Corn Show

On Friday and Saturday of the past week the F. F. A. boys of the local high school sponsored a poultry and corn show in the basement of the Memorial building. The judging took place on Saturday morning and the following were awarded prizes:

Stanley Jenkins, 1st prize pen White Leghorns, 1st prize White Leghorn pullet, 1st prize White Leghorn cockerel, 2nd prize pen White Leghorns, 2nd prize White Leghorn pullet, 3rd prize White Leghorn cockerel. Champion cockerel of all light breeds. Grand champion cockerel of all breeds.

Jesse Schafer, 2nd prize White Plymouth Rocks, 3rd prize White Plymouth Rock cockerel, 6th prize White Plymouth Rock cockerel. 3rd prize 10 ear sample of hybrid corn, 3rd prize 10 ear sample of white corn.

LaVerne Kersten, 2nd prize White Plymouth Rock pullet, 5th prize pen White Plymouth Rocks, 5th prize White Plymouth Rock cockerel.

Leo Neuman, 1st prize pen S. S. Hamburgs, 1st prize S. S. Hamburg pullet, 1st prize S. S. Hamburg cockerel, 4th prize S. S. Hamburg pullet, 2nd prize pen Dark Cornish, 2nd prize Dark Cornish cockerel, 2nd prize Dark Cornish pullet, 2nd prize Mottled Houdan cockerel, 3rd prize Mottled Houdan pullet, 3rd prize Mottled Houdan cockerel, 2nd prize pen White Plymouth Rocks 4th prize White Plymouth Rock cockerel, 5th prize White Plymouth Rock pullet, 2nd prize Jersey Black Giant pullet.

Wilbur Klenke, 2nd prize White Leghorn cockerel, 4th prize pen White Leghorns.

Wayne Nass, 4th prize White Leghorn cockerels, 7th prize White Leghorn cockerel.

Kenneth Page, 1st prize White Wyandotte pullet, 1st prize White Wyandotte cockerel, 2nd prize White Wyandotte cockerel, 2nd prize White Wyandotte pullet.

Wesley Krug, 1st prize White Plymouth Rock cockerel, 4th prize pen White Plymouth Rocks, 3rd prize White Plymouth Rock pullet.

Dale McLean, 1st prize pen White Plymouth Rocks, 1st prize White Plymouth Rock pullet, 2nd prize pen Barred Plymouth Rocks, 2nd prize White Plymouth Rock cockerel, 2nd prize Barred Plymouth Rock pullet, 3rd prize Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel, 3rd prize White Plymouth Rock pullet, 4th prize Barred Plymouth Rock pullet.

Loren Calhoun, 1st prize pen Barred Plymouth Rocks, 1st prize Barred Plymouth Rock pullet, 1st prize Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel, 2nd prize Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel, 4th prize 10 ear sample hybrid corn.

Donald Cordes, 1st prize peck white corn.

Charles Wallace, 5th prize 10 ear sample of hybrid corn.

Ralph Salzman, 1st prize 10 ear sample of hybrid corn.

Wayne Wise, 1st prize Buff Orpington pullet, 1st prize Buff Orpington cockerel.

(Additional Ashton news will be found on the society page)

FORRESTON

MRS. FRED DEUTH, Reporter

Scramble Supper

The class of which John I. Masterson is teacher in the Lutheran Sunday school, enjoyed a scramble supper at the Robert Huntley home Saturday evening.

Members of the class who were present were Patricia and Victor Conkey, Margaret and Gerald Earlenbaugh, Gerald Fager, Marcile Gerdes, Elva June Hiteman, Gretchen Huntley, Dorothy and Ellsworth Lewis, Virginia and Glenn Mase. Other guests were Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Bolton, Mrs. Minnie Bolton, Mrs. Samuel Fager and Earl Fager.

Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Acker and Samuel Byers attended the funeral of John C. Bricker at Freeport Monday afternoon. Mr. Bricker was an uncle of Mrs. Acker and a brother-in-law of Mr. Byers. He passed away at his home in Long Beach, Calif., last Wednesday, at the age of 82 years.

The body was brought to Freeport Monday where final services were held in the Walker mortuary. Dr. David L. McNary, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating, with burial in Oakland cemetery.

He was married to Sarah Byers and they lived in Freeport many years. In 1925 they moved to Long Beach, where Mrs. Bricker died. She passed away the following year. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Florence Law of Long Beach, with whom he made his home, and a son, Roy Bricker of Oak Park. Mr. Bricker visited here about one year ago.

Attend Dedication

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mase attended the dedication program of the new post office building at Oregon Saturday. Dr. J. C. Akins was also in attendance.

New Garage

Harm F. Ayres has built a new garage.

Juvenile Society

The Juvenile society of the Forreston Reformed church will meet this evening with the Misses Amanda and Edna Heeren.

Forreston Briefs

Miss Patricia Conkey who is in training at Deaconess hospital in Freeport spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Conkey.

Mrs. Martha Meyers and son Curtis of Oregon visited in Forreston, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Bolton and Mrs. Minnie Bolton, and Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Deuth of Oregon were dinner guests in the Fred Deuth home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beebe and daughter Ann Elizabeth visited in the home of Mrs. Beebe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Perry in Freeport, Sunday.

Family Reunion

A family reunion was enjoyed at the William Hiteman home, Sunday, all the children being present. They were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hiteman of West Allis, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fuhrman and Sandra of Lanark. Merle and Donald Hiteman and their families.

Attends School

Mrs. Ben Bisker Jr. went to Chicago Saturday where she attended a school of instruction for district deputies of the Grand Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star of Illinois. Mrs. Bisker received her appointment at the recent session of Grand Chapter and has been assigned to district 32 (1939) which consists of chanters at Polo, Sterling, Milledgeville, Amboy, Rochelle, Franklin Grove and Ashton.

Class Meeting

The Wide Awake Sunday school class of the Evangelical church is meeting with Mrs. Arthur Stolzman this evening.

Fractures Arm

Mrs. Klaas Stubbe had the misfortune to fall Monday and break a small bone in her right arm.

Aid Society

The Ladies Aid society of St. James Lutheran church of West Grove will have an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Ernest Hartje.

W. R. C.

The Woman's Relief corps will meet with Mrs. John Deuth tomorrow afternoon.

New Addresses

The Glenn Livingston family moved to Rock Falls today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mailand have moved into the Riley Garman property.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Wolfe entertained the following at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Steele, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilt and Mrs. Lillie Hardle and two sons of Mt. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Garber of Maryland Station, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Stine of Dixon and Miss Wilma Mangels.

Luther League

The Luther league held an enjoyable meeting last evening in the church basement. Victor Conkey was leader, and refreshments were served by Misses Margaret Earlenbaugh and Gretchen Huntley.

Finance Drive

The Boy Scout committee put on a drive for funds today.

Forreston Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. William Freasman and daughter of Rockford visited relatives in Forreston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steinhagen and daughter Betty, and Ralph Ragsdale were guests in the Glenn Reeder home in Chicago Heights, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harrington of Oelwein, Ia., visited in the former's sister, Mrs. Harry Lentz, and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vietmeier and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rademaker attended the auto show in Chicago today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leisson and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Schultz at Adeline, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stolzman and family visited friends at Sheboygan, Wis. over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Masterson and sons Jimmy and Paul were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Poe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Heeremann and two daughters of Oregon visited Miss Carrie Doctor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Timmer and daughter Arlene and son Marvin were dinner guests Sunday in the Chris Meiers home at Adeline. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bushman of Rock Falls were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hunter at Esmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brandt and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bolton visited relatives in Rockford, Sunday.

Arthur Lewis of Rice Lake, Wis., has gone to visit over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis.

Temperance Hill

Mrs. Frank Mynard attended the annual Home Bureau meeting in Dixon, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hillison of Portland, Ore., were dinner guests Saturday at the John Hillison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slaybaugh spent Sunday in Freeport with their father George Kilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gascoigne and family of Amboy were entertained Sunday for dinner at the Harry Gascoigne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Aughenbaugh and daughters Mary Jane and Aneita of Dixon spent Sunday afternoon at the Frank Yocum home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roesler and family of Ottawa were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Roesler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hillison of Portland, Ore., spent Friday night at the Raymond Hillison home.

Frank Atkinson and daughter Dorothy and Mrs. George Killmer of Amboy spent Sunday afternoon in Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vogel were visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Schreiner at the St. Francis hospital in Freeport.

Beverly, Joyce and Tommy Underhide of Amboy visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reid.

The P. T. A. met at the school house Friday night. Election of officers was held. Mrs. Charles Bothe was elected president, Mrs. Arthur Hullah vice president and Miss Kathryn Mynard secretary and treasurer. A short program was given. Lois Hullah gave a reading and Charlotte Bothe gave two piano selections. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gascoigne entertained their card club Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fassler are the parents of an eight-pound son born Saturday at the home in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Underhile and family of Amboy enjoyed dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hicks near Sublette.

Mrs. Lena Blowers returned to her home in Amboy Wednesday after caring for Mrs. Elizabeth Hillison, who passed away Tuesday night.

David Fassler, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fassler, and Bernice Smith of Calona, Wis., are spending some time at the home of David's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pankhurst.

A great many from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Hillison Friday afternoon at the Vaughan funeral home in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dewey and daughter Donna Marie visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David North.

Walton News

Anna J. McCoy, correspondent

There will be a dance in Saint Mary's hall, Walton, on Nov. 8, under the auspices of the League of the Sacred Heart. Tickets will be on sale by the trustees, Michael Finn and Charles McCoy. Lunch will be served by Mrs. Martin Mihm and Mrs. Daniel Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Feely of Chatsworth spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Friel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Smathley of Dremell, Iowa were week-end visitors at the Carrington home. Mrs. Smathley will be remembered as Miss Bernadine Carrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Friel and daughter Judy were dinner guests at the Ralph Daum home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCoy were callers at the Hines hospital at Hines, Ill., where Dennis McCoy is a patient.

On Tuesday night a large crowd of friends gathered at the Leo Friel home and tendered them a surprise party on their wedding anniversary. Cards were played with Melvin Daum holding high score for the men and Mrs. Ralph Daum high score for the women. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Friel at a late hour after which all departed for their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Friel many more happy anniversaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Friel and daughter Judy were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrissey Saturday night.

Mrs. Peter McCoy and Miss Hazel McCoy spent Friday afternoon in Maytown Sunday.

Obituary

J. J. Morrissey, Sr.

The funeral of J. J. Morrissey, Sr. took place in St. Mary's church at Walton on Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Reverend Father C. A. Dietch, pastor, was celebrant of the solemn requiem high mass, assisted by Reverend Father Haibmaier of Maytown and Reverend Father Caine of Dixon as deacon and subdeacon of the mass. Monsignor C. F. Conley of Freeport preached the sermon. The altar boys were his two grandsons, John Deiter and John Shannon of Amboy and his grand-nephew, Edward Conroy, of Walton. The casket bearers were J. J. Cole, John P. Devine, P. H. Dumphy, Frank Brady, August Grebens and A. D. Cahill.

Mr. Morrissey was born in Marion township March 4, 1871 and passed to his eternal reward on October 31, 1939, having attained the age of 68 years, seven months and 27 days at the time of his passing. He was united in marriage on Feb. 11, 1896 to Lena Ullrick who survives with three daughters, Mrs. Louis Shannon and Mrs. Lloyd Deiter of Amboy and Miss Catherine at home; two sons, Doyle of Ohio and John of Walton; fourteen grandchildren and two brothers, Patrick of Amboy and Thomas of Walton, and two sisters.

Mr. Morrissey's death came as a shock to his many friends as he was ill less than a week. His place in the community will be hard to fill as he was a kind father and husband and a good neighbor. The church was filled to overflowing and the scores of mass cards and beautiful floral tributes gave evidence of the esteem in which the deceased was held. Interment took place in St. Patrick's cemetery at Rockford. To our loved one now gone.

Oh it is sweet to think,
Of those that are departed.
While murmured aves sink
Into silence tender-hearted.
And tears that have no pain,
Are tranquilly distilling
And the dead live again
In the hearts that
Love is filling.

PRESIDENT PUTS ONE OVER ON TWO SOUVENIR FANS

Washington, D. C., Nov. 4—(AP)—President Roosevelt apparently came out on the long end of a pen swapping shuffle when he signed the revamped neutrality bill today.

Chairman Sol Bloom (D-NY) of the house foreign affairs committee took a fancy fountain pen to the White House for the president's use, expecting to keep it as a souvenir.

Chairman Key Pittman (D-Nev) of the senate foreign relations committee wanted a souvenir, too, so two pens of 5 cent variety were distributed. Mr. Roosevelt signed with both, then gave one to Bloom and the other to Pittman.

Bloom's fancy fountain pen stayed at the White House.—Chicago Tribune.

AMBOY

Mrs. Harold Ankney
Reporter
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Entertained With Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hicks of Sublette entertained the following guests for dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Underhile and children Beverly, Joyce and Tommy, Mrs. Nettie Virgil, Mr. and Mrs. Mae Gagstetter, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reid, Harry Saunders, John Short and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison.

Here and There

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hillison of Portland, Oregon, were entertained at dinner Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hillison and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison.

Mrs. Nettie Virgil is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hicks.

Calendar

The following is the calendar of the Women's Guild of the First Methodist church of Amboy for 1939-1940:

Officers: President, Minnie Thompson; first vice president, Lola Long; second vice president, Georgella Missman; recording secretary, Zella Wedleigh; corresponding secretary, Esther Meyer; treasurer, Bertha Haas; directress, Minnie Lee. Program committee, Lola Long, Myrtle Eckberg, Audrey O'Byrne; reception committee, Georgella Missman, Bertha Haas, Grace Buckingham; honorary members, Mabel Reid, Winifred McCracken, Anna Mickey, Alice Barth, Ida Poths, Hazel Reid.

Nov. 15, Past Presidents' Day; Mildred Tuttle, Geneva Barlow, Lola Long.

Nov. 29, scramble dinner; All day meeting at church.

Dec. 13, Christmas party: Hattie Smith, Frieda Boone, Josephine Eddy, Altha Castle.

Dec. 16, Christmas sale.

Jan. 10, social afternoon: Audrey O'Byrne, Esther Meyer.

Jan. 24, social afternoon: Mildred Holt, Miriam Pepiot.

Feb. 7, Valentine party: Minnie Lee, Florence Deitlehoff.

Feb. 21, Washington party: Carrie Sansman, Hazel Santleman.

March 6, oyster supper.

March 20, social afternoon: Helen Wilcox, Hazeldene Wakley.

April 3, April Fool day party; Eliza Berryman, Ilene Alcorn.

April 17, social afternoon: Ina King, Carrie Barlow.

May 1, May party: Rose Leake, Helen Richardson.

May 15, Mothers and Daughters banquet.

May 29, unknown sisters' party. Grace Buckingham, Leone Young.

June 12, At Home to Ladies' Aid: Emma Miller, Beulah Miller, Myrtle Bates.

June 26, Election of officers: Edna Supinger, Zella Wadleigh.

July 10, social afternoon: Alma Lewis, Hazel Price.

July 24, social afternoon: Elsie Smith, Bertha Haas.

Aug. 7, social afternoon: Margaret Welch, Anna Smiley.

Aug. 21, social afternoon: Carrie Hoffman, Erna Hoffman.

Sept. 4, social afternoon: Bernice Hillison, Muriel McCracken.

Sept. 18, social afternoon.

Active members: Ilene Alcorn, Grace Anderson, Ethel Antoine, Geneva Barlow, Carrie Barlow, Myrtle Bates, Eliza Berryman, Eva Blue, Frieda Boone, Grace Buckingham, Altha Castle, Florence Deitlehoff, Myrtle Eckberg, Josephine Eddy, Bertha Haas, Bernice Hillison, Mildred Holt, Carrie Hoffman, Erna Hoffman, Mary Hubbard, Ina King, Minnie Lee, Rose Leake, Alma Lewis, Leone Young, Lola Long, Muriel McCracken, Esther Meyer, Beulah Miller, Emma Miller, Audrey O'Byrne, Grace Pettigrew, Miriam Pepiot, Hazel Price, Anna Smiley, Elsie Smith, Hattie Smith, Frances Stone, Edna Supinger, Mildred Tuttle, Zella Wadleigh, Hazeldene Wakley, Margaret Welch, Helen Weigle, Georgella Missman, Helen Richardson, Carrie Sansman, Hazel Santleman, Minnie Thompson, Alta Ommen, Ethel Craig, Camilla Steele, Marian Aiekens, Irene Wagner.

P.-T. A.

The Temperance Hill P-T. A. met Friday night at the school house.

STEWARD

Miss Margaret Bowles and Mrs. Mae Barron of Creston visited Sunday and Monday at the F. W. Hewitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Noyes and Miss Lucile Noyes were visitors Sunday at the George Noe home near Scarboro.

Miss Helen Titus went to the home of Mrs. Thomas Richolson Friday to spend the winter.

Miss Myra Burd went to Chicago Friday to visit her sister. On Sunday John Burd drove in and she returned home with him.

Miss Jane Hewitt, Miss Ruth Rapp and Gilbert Herrman were home over the week end from Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess were entertained at supper Saturday evening at the Bert Hemenway home.

Miss Maurene Fell spent the week end in Champaign and Indianapolis, Ind.

Edward Lemon spent the week end at his home in Chambersburg.

Miss Hazel and Joe McNally of Savanna were calling on friends in Steward Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayes had as their guests over the week end Mrs. M. F. Earl, Percy Smith, Myron Earl and Mr. and Mrs. Halliday. Mrs. Earl will remain with Mrs. Halliday for the present in Kewanee.

Miss Grace Whitbread and Miss Dorothy Crout spent the week end at the home of Miss Crout in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Levey were entertained at dinner Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Diller in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Diller's mother, Mrs. Levey on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Diller and Mr. and Mrs. Levey were guests at the Carlos Houghby home near Shabbona.

Mrs. Emma Foster was a dinner guest of Mrs. C. W. Goodman in Rochelle Friday and attended a meeting of the Garden club at the home of Mrs. F. B. Hungerford.

The Standard Bearer society met Tuesday evening, Nov. 7 at the home of Ruth Jean Bettel.

John Burd and Julius Kugler motored to Mendota Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Pierce of Jamestown, N. Y. arrived Saturday to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hemenway. On Tuesday the Pierces and Hemenways left for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson spent a few days in Lee last week at the Dr. Alex home. Dr. Axel attended a medical meeting in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holdren of Compton, motored to Walnut Sunday where they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larkins at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson and daughter Shirley Jean, Mrs. Ed Johnson and Florence Brown spent Sunday in Rockford with relatives.

Mrs. Margaret Durin spent last week in Chicago with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Hochstrasser has returned home after a two weeks' visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Vernon Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Groh of Rockford were entertained at dinner in honor of Bob Anderson's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Earl Ackland and daughter Ann and Irvin Strawbridge spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hammel in Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Hammel are the parents of a baby boy born Oct. 25. Mrs. Hammel was Maurene Strawbridge before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cook were dinner guests Thursday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner at the Hemenway home in honor of Mr. Hemenway's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ewald and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ewald and family of Rochelle were Sunday evening visitors at Earl Ewald home near Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Herrmann and son, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hewitt and daughter were dinner guests Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Anderson.

Charles Stein was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Haltjen near Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Larson of Ashton visited Wednesday afternoon at the Joe Andes, Sr. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Andes, Jr. were Sunday visitors at the home of his father and sisters.

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LUCE MEEKER

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Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Carr, Mr. and Mrs. John McGee and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrison were guests at bridge Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newcomer in Leaf River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bricker drove up from Bradford Sunday and brought Mrs. Nancy Pollock home. Mrs. Pollock has been at the Bricker home for the past three weeks in the Bricker home, caring for her grandson, Larry, while he had the whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weiss of Des Plaines were week-end guests of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Shroyer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Coyne of Fulton spent Sunday in Evanston with a brother of Mr. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dierdorf and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Moore of Janesville, Mr. and Mrs. Alta Barnhizer called on friends in Lanark Sunday.

Charles and Virginia Hyland and their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merriman were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merriman.

Grant Unger, Sr., observed his 71st birthday anniversary Sunday. At home for family dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Unger and sons from Brookville, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Friburg and family of Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stimax, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barbee, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Unger, Jr. and children and Earl and William Unger.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller and son Bob and Russell Miller spent Sunday with relatives in Chicago Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Unger is in Dixon assisting in the care of her mother, Mrs. Charles Whitebread, who is critically ill.

Miss Jeanne Smith spent the week-end with friends at Morrison, her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Henricks attended home-coming at Champaign where their son Dale is a student at the university. Merle Henricks flew in from St. Louis with a class mate and joined the family for the day.

Numerous American factories turn out more than 10,000 watches a day, or more than 3,000,000 annually.

To speed up the time of one express train may mean changes in the timing of 300 other trains.

WALNUT

Dorotha Mae Warling
Reporter

...... Missionary Education ...... A school of missionary education will be held at the Walnut Church of Christ Wednesday, Nov. 8th. The school is sponsored by the Illinois Christian Woman's Missionary society, Illinois Christian Education Commission, Illinois Christian Missionary society. The churches of Bureau, Whiteside and Henry counties will be guests at the school.

The plan of the school is to present methods and materials for use in building an adequate program of missionary education in our churches. There will be time for discussion. Inspirational messages will be given by Mr. Potee, missionary to India, and Mr. Murphy, the new national secretary for World Call.

Each church in Whiteside, Henry and Bureau counties are urged to send a large group of folks, including leaders of all church organizations. An award will be presented to each church having present the pastor, an elder or deacon, officer or teacher of the church school, officer of missionary organization and officer of young people's group Christian Endeavor, Young People's Society.

Program 10:00 a. m. (C.S.T.) Theme:—Missionary Education in the Church:

Through—Worship, minister's leadership, church boards, brotherhoods, forums, church developments, etc.

Through—elective courses in the church schools, missionary education for leaders, special days.

Through—Missionary libraries, periodicals, books.

Through—Schools of Missions. Addresses—Kenneth L. Potee and Mrs. Philip W. Murphy.

A luncheon will be served at noon by the Missionary society of the Walnut church.

Scott Dunn Dies

Scott Dunn, 88, died about 11 o'clock Saturday evening at the home of his son Russell at Rock Falls. He suffered a stroke on Friday.

Funeral services will be held from the Ross funeral home in Walnut at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in charge of Dr. Street of the Methodist church with burial in the Walnut cemetery.

The deceased was born in Oakland, Pa., in April of 1851. With his wife and family he came to Illinois in 1877 and settled near Walnut. Mrs. Dunn died in 1909. Mr. Dunn had lived continuously in the Walnut area until a year and one-half ago when he went to live with his son in Rock Falls.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. W. F. Keithahn, Walnut; Mrs. Alta Deneau, Chicago; Russell Dunn, Rock Falls; Harry Dunn, Los Angeles; Lattimer, Rock Island. Also surviving are 21 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Anniversary Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hopkins entertained on Sunday in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Hopkins' father, A. L. Stickle, niece Gwendolyn Fritz and brother-in-law, Gilbert Renner and the 39th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins. Present were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stickle, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Renner and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Stickle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Renner, Mrs. Gwendolyn Fritz and Hectar Daffara.

Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sample entertained on Sunday, November 5, at a three-course dinner in honor of their daughter Eleanor's 18th birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magnuson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kooy and son, Donald Obendorf of Prophetstown and Miss Jennie Charvat.

Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Ben Burkey entertained their children in honor of their father, Mr. Burkey's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burkey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burkey and family and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Burkey and children.

Hallowe'en Party

On Saturday, November 4th the Christian Endeavor of Red Oak church held a Hallowe'en party in an old vacated house. There were many spooky games and stories; all had a scavenger hunt. There were about thirty-five young people present. Lunch was served by committee.

Birthday Party

Brothers and sisters of Mrs. Marcus Brown had a surprise birthday party on Mrs. Brown at the Brown home on Saturday, Nov. 5. Those present were Mrs. Emma Fordham, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ewalt of Zearing, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Epperson and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Epperson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crane and Mrs. William Crane were Kewanee shoppers on Friday.

Miss Helen Karas was a Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Lena Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullington had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Lizzie Hasenyager.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Renner, Jr. of Elgin were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Renner, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Armour Whitver had as guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dave Swanson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Swanson and son of Princeton, Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Burge of Princeton.

Mrs. Florence Cater and mother

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Turkey Dinner

The ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran church will serve a turkey dinner at the church Thursday evening from 5:30 until all are served.

Class Meeting

Mrs. A. I. Maxwell's Sunday school class of the Methodist church was entertained Monday night at the home of Mrs. Frank Kerr with Mesdames Harold Krause, William Fisher and John Cordes, assisting hostesses.

Rest Room Club

The ladies of the Rest Room club will meet at the home of Mrs. Edward Murdock Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 8. A picnic dinner will be served at 1 o'clock.

Moved

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Nye have moved to the residence which they purchased on North Fifth street.

Hostess At Luncheon

Mrs. G. M. Abbott was hostess Monday at a bridge luncheon.

Attended Homecoming

Misses Julianne Crawford and Caryl Berg attended the homecoming and football game at the University of Illinois over the week-end.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Etnyre were dinner guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herrmann at Mount Morris.

Oregon Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brooke were visited over the week-end by their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brooke of Chicago, who have recently moved from Hammond, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher and daughter Phyllis Jean were Mrs. Fisher's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson at Rockford.

Jane Harris Stiles and Franklin Lundstrom will be guests of the Dixon Music club Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kinn of Dixon spent Saturday of this week with relatives here.

Miss Marion Wilmarth, R. N., attended an institute on pneumonia at a meeting of the Illinois State Nurses' association at St. Anthony's hospital in Rockford, Monday and today.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huffman, Mrs. Lois Howard and Tom McLaughlin of Dixon, Mrs. Frank Donaldson and son Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Tucker of Chicago were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huffman. Eugene Donaldson remained for a visit with his grandparents.

The Marvin Olson family moved Saturday to the residence of the late Sam Smith, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilde.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gesin and daughters, Misses Ruth and Alice, spent Sunday at the Walter Miller home in Freeport.

Mrs. R. M. McKinney and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Monson and son of Muncie, Ind., were week end guests of Miss Rose Kaiser and at the C. M. Gale, Mrs. L. R. Crawford and Mrs. J. F. Putnam homes.

Mrs. J. B. Roe of Atlanta, Ga., arrived Sunday for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gilbert.

Misses Marion and Clara Rose Wilmarth, Allan Berry and Bud Markham spent the week-end with Charles Wilmarth at Champaign and attended the football game on Saturday.

Mrs. Donald Carr entertained at dinner Saturday evening, Misses Louise Eicke, Margaret Lutter and Genevieve Jones of the Rockford hospital staff and Mrs. Gerald Brooke of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Rees and son of Rockford were visitors at the Charles Kinn home Sunday. Mrs. Kinn accompanied them to Dixon by Mrs. Graydon Patrick and son and Mrs. Charles McCourt.

Natives of the Lake Nyasa region of Africa use a bread the chief ingredient of which consists of small brownish flies known as kunga. They capture the flies by sweeping with baskets, and knead the flies into the bread "dough."

er Mrs. Minnie Owens were Sunday afternoon callers on Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winger and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullington.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sergeant spent the week end in Galesburg with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Sergeant.

Mrs. Jennie Conkling and niece Madge McPherson of Princeton attended services at the Church of Christ in Dixon Sunday morning.

Mattie Dorn and son Ross of Ohio were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Keigwin of Peoria were week end guests of Mrs. Pauline Sheaburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Magnuson and daughters spent Sunday in Walton, guests of her sister and the installation of the Past Matrons and Patrons club.

Mrs. Leroy Larson and Mrs. Lester Rudiger spent Thursday with their sister and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Wyanet.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schrader and son and Mr. and Mrs. Everly Larson were visitors in Prophetstown and Sterling on Sunday.

George Wallis and friend, Miss Helen Alsene spent Sunday in Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winger and his grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Livey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newcum and family and Mrs. Ed Newcum of Ramsey were Sunday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tuckerman and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Langford and son were entertained at the Theodore Trouth home in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kappler and children of Dixon spent the week end with relatives here.

John Clark and family and Mrs. Lola Clark of Ohio were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark and family of Princeton.

AMERICAN INVENTOR

HORIZONTAL
1, 4 Pictured American inventor.
10 Dexterous.
12 Single thing.
13 Tax.
14 Catnip.
16 Snaky fish.
17 Surly dog.
18 Postscript.
19 Bashful.
20 Royal Navy (abbr.).
21 Lock part.
22 Indian.
24 To stitch.
28 To harvest.
29 Royal diadem.
30 Lady in Spain.
31 Japanese coin.
33 Grazed.
34 Marsh.
35 Toward.
37 Steeped morsel.
39 Biscuit.
40 Transposed.
41 Adam's mate.
43 Lobelia.
46 Professional athlete.
47 Shrub.
49 Series of rows.
50 Not slack.
51 Moss.
53 Egyptian underworld god.
55 He invented the —— ——.
56 His was the —— successful machine of its kind.

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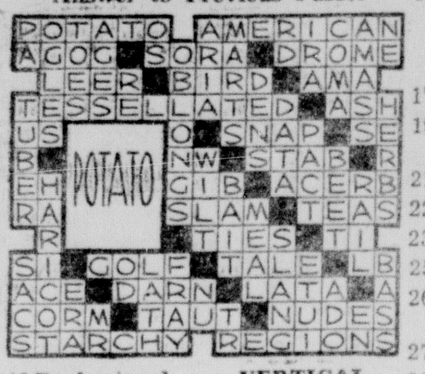

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2 Dress trimmings.
3 Heathen god.
4 Grief.
5 Hybrid stallion.
6 Virginia willow.
7 Xmas carol.
8 To come in.
9 Longs.
11 Right.
13 His gin —— seeds from cotton.
15 His gin is the —— or mode for modern gins.
17 To weep.
19 Sleeveless cloaks.
21 No.
22 English coin.
23 To be in debt.
25 State of bliss.
26 Was victorious.
27 Macaw.
32 Neither.
34 Merriment.
36 Convex molding.
38 Thin metal plate.
39 Manager.
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42 To give off.
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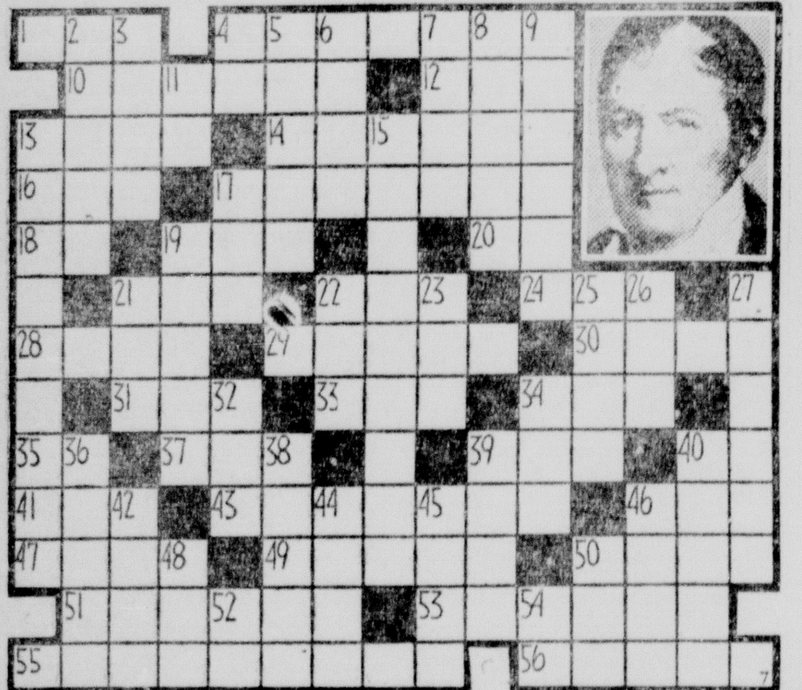
48 Performance.
50 Three.
52 Stop!
54 Whether.



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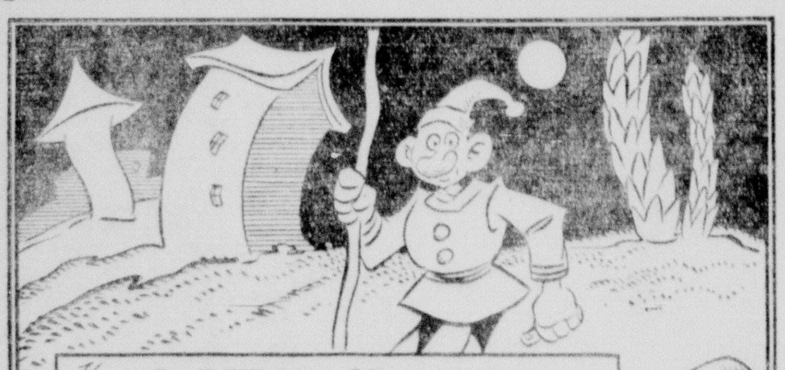

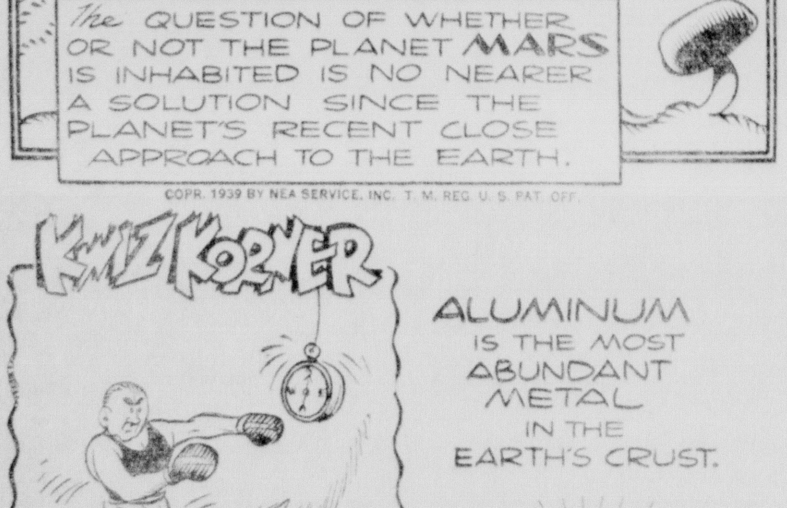

ANSWER: It is a sea phrase which means an enumeration of the various points, half points and quarter points of the mariner's compass in their proper order.

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Legal Publication

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All persons having claims against the estate of Anna Ryan, deceased, are hereby notified and requested to present them in writing for adjustment before the County Court of Lee County at Dixon, Illinois, on or before the first Monday in December, A. D. 1939.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1939.

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Heart of Julia Blake—WBBM
Dad's Family—WCFL
6:30 I Love a Mystery—WMAQ
Helen Menken—WBBM
Top Tunes—WCFL
7:00 Big Town—WBBM
Green Hornet—WGN
Aldrich Family—WLS
Johnny Presents—WMAQ
7:30 Walter O'Keefe—WBBM
Horace Heidt's Orch.—WMAQ
Morton Gould's Orch.—WGN
Information Please—WLS
8:00 Melody and Madness—WENR
We, the People—WBBM
Battle of the Sexes—WMAQ
8:30 Concert Miniature—WENR
Bob Crosby's Orch.—WBBM
Fibber McGee and Molly—WMAQ
9:00 Bob Hope—WMAQ
Roy Shield's Revue—WENR
Elliott Roosevelt—WGN
9:30 Fun With the Famous—WENR
Uncle Walter's Doghouse—WMAQ
The Northerners—WGN
9:45 Todd Hunter—WBBM
10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Anson Weeks' Orch.—WGN
10:15 Jimmy Fidler—WBBM
10:30 Dick Jurgen's Orch.—WGN
Art Kassel's Orch.—WENR
Abe Lyman's Orch.—WMAQ
10:45 Nightcap Serenade—WBBM
11:00 Everett Hoagland's Orch.—WGN
Art Kassle's Orch.—WENR
Gene Krupa's Orch.—WMAQ
Wayne King's Orch.—WBBM

WEDNESDAY
Afternoon

12:00 The Goldbergs—WBBM
Happy Gang—WGN
Hit Review—WCFL
12:15 Life Can Be Beautiful—WBBM
Ellen Randolph—WMAQ
12:30 Road of Life—WBBM
The Songs of the Heart—WMAQ
12:45 This Day is Ours—WBBM
Voice of Experience—WCFL
Words and Music—WIBA
1:00 Doc Barclay's Daughters—WBBM
Betty and Bob—WMAQ
Sweet Alice—WOC
1:15 Life and Love of Dr. Susan—WBBM
Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WMAQ
Eddie and Fannie—WCFL
1:30 Hymns of All Churches—WBBM
Your Family and Mine—WBBM
Valiant Lady—WMAQ
What's in a Name?—WCFL
1:45 Betty Crocker—WMAQ
Melody Time—WGN
My Son and I—WBBM
Spotlight Program—WCFL
2:00 Marriage License Romances—WGN
Story of Mary Marlin—WMAQ
Girl Interne—WBBM
2:15 Orphans of Divorce—WLS
Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Rhythm for Tea—WJJD
Musical Moods—WCFL
Society Girl—WBBM
2:30 Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ
School of the Air—WBBM
Bob Miller's Orch.—WGN
2:45 The Guiding Light—WMAQ
3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Editor's Daughter—WBBM
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
3:30 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR
3:45 Midstream—WMAQ
Linda's First Love—WBBM
4:00 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Kathleen Norris—WBBM
4:15 Les Brown's Orch.—WENR
Against the Storm—WMAQ
Golden Store—WBBM
Johnson Family—WMAQ
4:30 Affairs of Anthony—WENR
It Happened in Hollywood—WBBM
Kitty Keene—WMAQ
4:45 Scattergood Baines—WBBM
Dinning Sisters—WENR
Frolics Before Five—WMAQ
5:00 Billy & Betty—WBBM
Blue Barron's Orch.—WENR
5:15 Edda Hopper's Hollywood—WBBM
Stokes' Orch.—WGN
5:30 Kaltenborn—WBBM
Cameo Theater—WCFL
5:45 Adventures of Tom Mix—WENR
Crawford Ensemble—WIBA
Lowell Thomas—WLW
Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFL
Today in Europe—WBBM

Evening

6:00 Easy Aces—WENR
Fred Waring—WMAQ
6:15 Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR
Lum and Abner—WBBM
Top Tunes—WCFL
6:30 I Love a Mystery—WMAQ
Burns and Allen—WBBM
String Ensemble—WCFL
7:00 Hollywood Playhouse—WENR
Al Pearce's Gang—WBBM
German Band—WOC
7:30 Avalon Time—WMAQ
Lone Ranger—WGN
Quicksilver—WLS
Paul Whiteman's Orch.—WBBM
8:00 Fred Allen—WMAQ
Star Theater—WBBM
Concert Miniature—WENR
8:30 Radio Guild Frama—WENR
9:00 Kay Kyser's Program—WMAQ
Magnolia Blossoms—WENR
Dr. Christian—WBBM
Steve Leonard—WBBM
9:30 Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt—WIND
Roy Shield's Revue—WENR
Dr. Preston Bradley—WBBM
10:00 Bill Bardo's Orch.—WMAQ
Griff Williams Orch.—WGN
Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Ten O'clock Final—WENR
10:15 Todd Hunter—WBBM
10:30 Radio Show—WIBA
Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN
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Evangelist

Dr. Jack Munyon, Pittsburgh's radio evangelist, will conduct a revival campaign in Bethel church Nov. 12th to 26th, inclusive, with services each evening at 7:30 except Monday. Dr. Munyon has sponsored the "Lest We Forget" radio program in Pittsburgh for the past ten years. He has conducted revivals with great success through the eastern and southern states. This will be his first appearance in this section of the country. He will begin his services here at the regular morning worship period, 10:45, Sunday. Dr. Munyon is noted for his splendid musical talent as well as his evangelistic ability, and he will have charge, and personally conduct song services during this campaign.

Unnatural Calm Marks Trade in Chicago Board

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)—An unnatural calm, as strange as anything the war has produced, hung today over the trading pits where much of the world's grain is bought and sold.

Despite conflict in Europe and drought in the United States wheat belt, grain men idled about the Board of Trade's usually boisterous trading floor waiting for business that they had expected war to bring.

Where once close to 100,000 bushels changed hands daily, now 20,000,000 bushels are traded. The war has closed many foreign markets, throwing an even brighter spotlight on the world's biggest grain trading center here, but business still is not good.

When the war broke out there was an immediate rush to buy grain. Prices skyrocketed 20 cents a bushel in the wheat pit but the speculative furor was held in check by government and exchange restrictions.

Nevertheless, during September grain men did the best business of any month since June, 1938, more than 848,000,000 bushels changing hands.

This boom has faded, at least for the time being. Volume in October dropped to 548,000,000 bushels, about 100,000,000 better than a year earlier but only half the volume of October, 1937.

Among the reasons attributed by grain men for the market's lackadaisical action in the face of the two most revolutionary events they have had to consider in two decades were government regulations restricting speculation, taxes and uncertainty regarding the war itself.

$oup $hekels to Come His Way

Born with a silver soup spoon in his mouth, year-and-a-half old George Strawbridge, Jr. is shown in first photo with his mother, the former "Peggy" Dorrance, heiress to $200,000,000 canned soup fortune of the late Dr. John Thompson Dorrance.

Congress Faces Controversial Issues in January

Washington, Nov. 7 —(AP)— National defense, farm legislation and renewal of the reciprocal trade program were put forward today by some congressional leaders as key issues in the 1940 session.

The administration already has served notice that it would request an expanded defense program when Congress meets in January. The idea found quick support—and a measure of criticism—from members of both major parties.

Plans for a new system of agricultural banks, drought relief, and liberalized crop benefits were among the farm proposals.

The reciprocal trade law, under fire in the Senate during the special session, was criticized today by Rep. Martin of Massachusetts, the Republican House leader. He said the extensive backing for an effort to terminate the act expiring in June under which the state department has negotiated trade treaties with a score of countries.

Before leaving the capital for home, Martin called the trade program an "attempt to circumvent congressional control over tariffs."

Chairman Smith (D.-SC.) of the Senate agriculture committee disclosed that he would work for legislation to set up a new $2,000,000,000 system of agricultural banks.

Smith said there should be one Federal bank in every state. They would make one to five year advances to farmers at interest rates exactly covering the cost of the loans. The present Federal land banks, he declared, "are mere adjuncts to the commercial banking system."

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Thanksgiving Party

Six hundred postmasters and postal employes and their wives from northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin, enjoyed their fifth annual dinner-dance at the Faust hotel in Rockford Saturday evening, November 4.

The invitations extended by the Rockford postoffice, brought guests from as far as Milwaukee, Wisconsin and from Chicago. Of all areas represented, however, the greatest number came from Rochelle, and Postmaster Floyd J. Tilton was presented with a large bouquet of roses. The twenty-four Rochelle guests, in the spotlight of interest, were: Postmaster and Mrs. Floyd J. Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seiple, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tigan, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Owen, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Van Artsdale, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Askvig, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. William Oesterheld and Mr. and Mrs. Orai Ford.

Speakers were Inspector Imes, in charge of the Chicago area; Frank T. Ellis, superintendent of the postal service, Washington, D. C.; the national president of the clerks' organization; and the state president of the carriers' association.

The Thanksgiving party closed with dancing.

October Residential Changes

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Akey moved to the Craig apartment on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Eich moved to their new home on South Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Russell moved to the Tripp apartment on Eighth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kopp moved into the new Joe Baker house on Twelfth street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend moved to 709 Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sites moved to Fourteenth street.

Services at Four-Square Church

Tuesday 7:30 p. m., prayer service.

Thursday 7:30 p. m., mid-week evangelistic service.

November 14, 7:30 p. m. A quintet from Wheaton college, Wheaton, Illinois, will bring a special service at this time.

"The biggest cemetery is where the unused talents are buried."

Mary Collins, pastor.

Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Law and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tilton entertained Sunday at the Tilton home, 615 North Third street, in honor of Mrs. Robert Tilton and Mrs. Jennie Cole, who were celebrating birthday anniversaries. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Tilton and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Cole Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Cross and son Alan, and Mrs. George Guest.

Football Game

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jacobson, Ray Law, John Maxson and J. M. Weeks attended the football game in Chicago, Sunday afternoon. Another Rochelle group present included Dr. C. H. Schaller, Chester Ellis, DeForrest Hitchcock and sons, LaFerre, and Fred Wood of Ashton.

Roof Fire

The roof of the home of Mrs. Stella Carpenter, located at Lincoln Avenue and Twelfth Street, caught fire Friday, but was extinguished before any damage was done to the building before the arrival of the local fire department.

Leaving for Visit

Mrs. Robert Tilton and Mrs. Emmett Cole from Niles Center, Illinois, are leaving tonight for a visit with relatives at Loup City, Nebraska.

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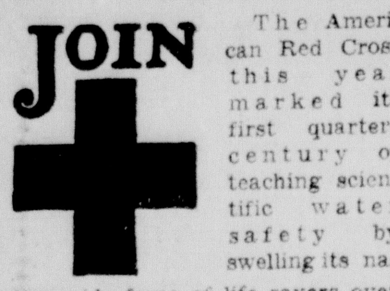

The American Red Cross this year marked its first quarter-century of teaching scientific water safety by swelling its nation-wide force of life savers over the million mark, E. A. Rowley, chairman of life saving, Lee county Red Cross chapter, declared yesterday.

In coastal and inland waters as well as the thousands of swimming pools throughout the country, Mr. Rowley pointed out, this vast army of volunteers is waging a constant battle against drowning—a national catastrophe which annually takes some 7,500 lives.

Mr. Rowley said that during the past year, 100,361 persons passed courses in life saving given by qualified Red Cross examiners and, in addition, approximately 150,000 persons were granted awards after completing courses in swimming and water safety.

In the classes sponsored by the Lee county chapter conducted by Kenneth Abbott, a Red Cross Life Saving Examiner, a total of 18 hours instruction was given to 22 persons. Over 90 per cent of the class had learned correct swimming methods by the close of the period. These classes in swimming are open to all and next summer it is hoped many groups will take advantage of the training offered by the Lee County Chapter Red Cross.

Cuts Loss One Third

"Since the Red Cross issued its first life saving certificate in 1914", Mr. Rowley said, "loss of life by drowning has been cut nearly a third despite the greatly increased numbers of persons participating in water sports. Red Cross estimates indicate that approximately 80 million persons take part in water activities in one form or another each year, yet only a relatively small per cent of this large group can be classified as capable of adequately handling themselves in deep water during an emergency.

"For this reason, the Red Cross is preparing to expand its teaching facilities in swimming and life saving. Plans call for an increased number of summer aquatic schools to qualify instructors to aid chapters in their community programs. Last year the Red Cross increased its number of summer schools to 17, an addition of three camps more than the preceding year. Located strategically throughout the country, these camps this year trained 2,200 leaders in advanced water safety."

Year-Round Program

Mr. Rowley declared that Red Cross water courses are carried on by 1,610 chapters throughout the country, most of them maintaining a year-round program. Holders of life saving certificates, he stated, are not only trained in the various methods of rescuing drowning persons, but are qualified to administer preliminary first aid treatment while awaiting the arrival of a physician.

In describing the need for expanding the life saving program, Mr. Rowley pointed out that instruction work is made possible by the support of the country during Roll Call, to be held this year November 11 through November 30.

"This year", he said, "the Red Cross is appealing to the nation for a million more members so that its services may be made available to additional thousands of persons. I feel confident that our community will, as it has in the past, be well represented when tabulations on memberships are completed."

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Analysis—

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vorable opportunity arose. This he proceeded to put into effect.

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Then along in 1935 began the period of "what's yours is mine" in Europe and the Far East. The far-sighted Stalin foresaw a period of strife approaching, and the comintern executives decided that this would give them the opportunity they needed.

It was determined to drop the slogan of "world revolution" and substitute that of "peace."

The idea was to pit the forces of peace and war in the various disturbed countries against each other in an effort to cause civil strife.

Out of this amazing situation would come the equivalent of the world revolution, and communism would be extended to the four corners of the earth.

This historical background accords with the appeal to the British and French workers. This is, of course, in its essence an appeal for revolt.

Those who are making what the manifesto characterizes as "imperialistic" war in England and France are the governments of those countries. It is accepted generally that to "go against" one's government when it is at war is an act of sedition.

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Europe at war is the field for which the communists have been waiting. They believe it will provide fertile soil for the seed of communism.

Soviet Premier Molotoff in a speech yesterday summed up the Russian viewpoints succintly and graphically. He asserted that half the world is at war because of conflict in Europe, and declared the capitalist system is sure to fall now.

The workers and peasants, added Molotoff, no longer will put up with capitalists, especially those who want to fight under the pretext of "defense of democracy."

The smart manner in which Stalin annexed eastern Poland and sovietized it, and then took control of the Baltic states, was a fair indication of the trend of affairs. Observers generally concluded that time for another big communistic drive in Europe was approaching.

There was no indication, however, that this would come so soon. Apparently the trend of affairs has been such that the comintern felt it wise to move immediately. The twenty-second anniversary of the bolshevist revolution has given the opportunity for the attack on capitalism and the manifesto.

Hopping the Atlantic from Europe, the United States also appears to look like pretty fertile ground to Earl Browder, secretary of the communist party in this country, who has received encouragement from Moscow.

His Boston speech calling on his followers to achieve socialism here contained the interesting declaration that America "despite the political backwardness as yet of our working class, is technically, objectively, the country which is most ripe, the most prepared for a quick transition to socialism, for which it lacks only the understanding and the will of the masses to that goal."

Boy Acquitted Monday of Murder of Farmer

Toulon, Ill., Nov. 7.—(AP)—A Stark county Circuit court jury acquitted Edgar Junior Lodwick, 16, of Duncan, Ill., June 21.

The jury of eight men and four women deliberated an hour before returning the verdict yesterday.

State's Attorney Marshall Faw declared Lodwick shot Rude to death in order to steal the farmer's automobile. Lodwick and his brother, Clifford, 13, testified, however, that Edgar shot at a brown-thrush while they were hunting and accidentally hit Rude.

Clifford said they took Rude's automobile because they were frightened. A murder charge against Clifford was nol prossed, but both boys still face charges of burglary and larceny of the automobile and a gun.

TO INVESTIGATE DEATH

Chicago—(AP)— A department of commerce marine investigating board scheduled a hearing for tomorrow to inquire into the death of Mrs. Thomas Hyland, 32, of Hammond, Ind., who leaped into Lake Michigan August 27 from the steamship City of Grand Rapids off Wilmette.

Albert Einstein conceived the idea of his relativity theory while still in his teens.

The temperature on the planet Mercury is hot enough to melt lead and tin.

SOVEREIGNS OF BELGIUM, NETHERLANDS CONFER

Believed To Have Talked of Ways To Keep Out of Conflict

The Hague, Nov. 7—(AP)—Leopold, king of the Belgians, and Queen Wilhelminia of the Netherlands engaged today in apparently urgent talks aimed, observers believed, at keeping their countries out of war and protecting their vital interests.

There were suggestions that the two lowland states, lying between Europe's great warring powers, were seeking to reconcile divergent foreign policies and present a joint neutrality front.

Leopold arrived late last evening after a hurried motor trip from Brussels and proceeded at once to the Noordeinde palace, where he conferred with Wilhelmina until 1:30 A. M.

It was learned that the Belgian sovereign originally had planned to return to Brussels early today but postponed his departure pending further talks.

Participating in the conference were Wilhelminia's Foreign Minister, Eelco van Kleffens, and Belgian Foreign Minister Paul Henri Spaak, who came here with Leopold.

News Leaks Out

Efforts were made to keep the visit a secret, but placing of a heavy military guard outside the palace caused the news to leak out. An official announcement issued after midnight noted Leopold's arrival but did not comment on the reason for the visit.

Informed sources said only that Leopold had come here to 'discuss some aspects of the international situation." These sources disclaimed knowledge of any new move by Germany which might have motivated the conversations.

Usually competent authorities said it was unlikely that the two sovereigns were considering a peace move.

Possibility of a mutual assistance pact between the nations also was generally discounted.

The two states have followed divergent foreign policies in recent years. While Belgium has accepted guarantees from both Germany and Great Britain, the Netherlands has declined to accept pledges from either.

199 YEARS FOR SLAYER

Chicago—(AP) — Sentence of 199 years in prison was imposed on Yorke Bodden, 24, after he was convicted of murdering Ann Riermaier, 25, on Aug. 11. Police Capt. Daniel Gilbert said Bodden related he killed Miss Riermaier because she opposed his love affair with her sister, Florence, 22.

TRAFFIC FATALITY

Kankakee, Ill.—(AP)—An automobile driven by Harry Bryan of Sullivan, Mo., struck and killed Mrs. Hermine Burt, 75, in front of her home along U. S. highway 52 last night. Bryan told police she darted in front of his car from the opposite side of the road.

Expects Women to Bring Some Logic to Laws

Chicago, Nov. 7—(AP)—Women on juries, Corporation Counsel Barnet Hodes observed today, may serve to bring some logic to municipal law.

In a lecture prepared for his class at Northwestern University the chief of Chicago's legal department expressed hope that "the fine logic of the feminine mind" would work to straighten out "the absurd inconsistencies of municipal law which plague cities all over America."

Illinois women won the right to sit on juries several months ago.

"I shall not be surprised," Hodes said, "to see women juries express impatience with such circuitous legal theories as decree that there is a difference between breaking one's neck over a hole in a city street and a hole in a boulevard maintained by the park district."

He explained that Illinois law allows the collection of damages against the city, but not against the park district, and added optimistically:

"Even if the masculine mind still pretends to find some valid distinction in such circumstances, the women are sure to pry behind such legal hocus-pocus and conclude that a neck broken on a park street is just as fractured as one broken on a city street."

Some Oddities of Day's Polls Reported by AP

(By The Associated Press)

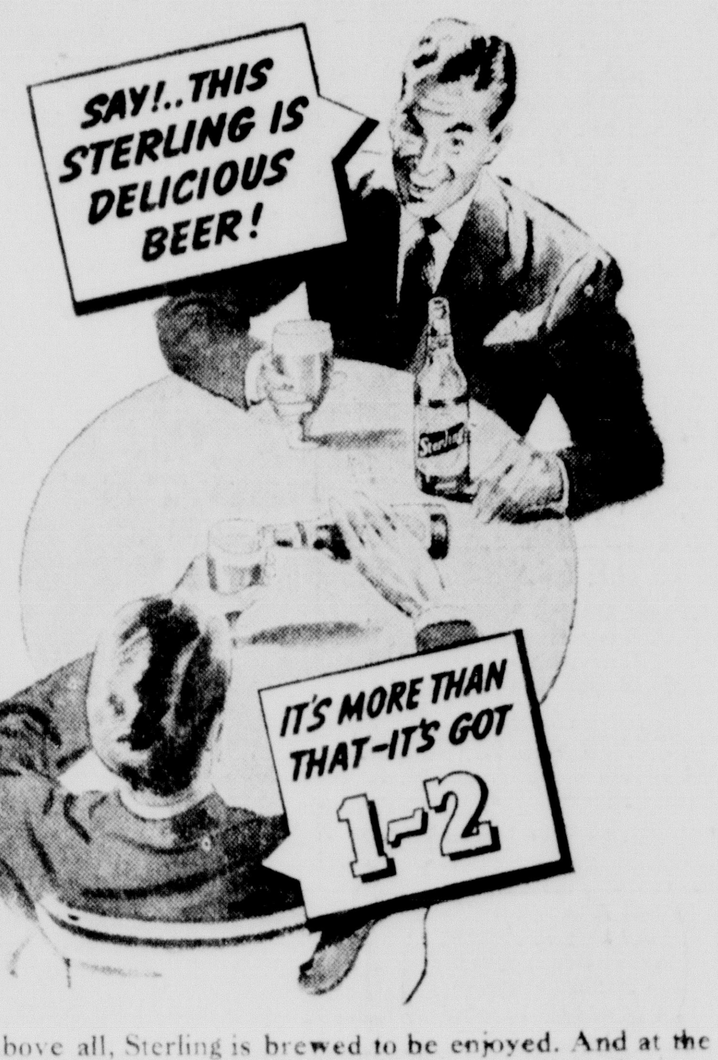
Nuangola, Pa., Nov. 7 — William A. Lewis says if he is elected to borough council today he'll resign immediately.

Lewis, a Republican nomineee, complained to the county election board that he didn't even win the nomination, but was informed there was no time to change the ballot.

Swoyerville, Pa., Nov. 7.—John Grecula was busy yesterday campaigning for borough constable, but today he's not a candidate. A last-minute re-check of primary votes showed he had been credited with 10 votes too many. That gave the nomination to his opponent.

Philadelphia, Nov. 7.— Today's election may show whether typesize has anything to do with political successes. A council candidate complained that his name on the ballot was printed smaller than the others. Officials said it was too long for the allotted space.

Junction, Utah, Nov. 7.—Seething last spring with political strife and talk of recall, Junction holds its municipal election today. But there are no candidates. A quorum failed to appear at a nominating meeting.



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SCATTERED CITY AND STATE POLLS IN NATION TODAY

Elections Offer Nothing in Way of Test on National Issues

(By The Associated Press)

Scattered city and state elections offered no clear-cut test on national issues today, but referenda on questions ranging from old-age pensions to pari-mutuel betting bobbed the "off-year" balloting of its usual lethargy.

Interest centered largely on old age pension proposals in California and Ohio. The California plan would give up to $30 every Thursday to unemployed persons over 50, under a law similar to one rejected there last year. Payments would be made in state script redeemable after a year, provided a two-cent stamp tax was attached every week.

The Ohio plan has been advocated by Herbert S. Bigelow, Cincinnati clergyman. It calls for pensions, supplementing other income, to provide total payments of $50 a month to retired single persons over 60 and $80 monthly to couples. A state income tax and a levy on high-priced real estate would finance it.

A referendum on sanctioning pari-mutuel betting at race tracks was the only statewide question before New York voters. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt were at their Hyde Park, N. Y., home to vote in an effort to dislodge some of the local Republican office holders.

Prohibition Indiana Issue

Prohibition was an issue in Indiana, where towns of less than 3,000 population were electing town officials. Dry forces concentrated on candidates pledged to oppose issuance of local liquor licenses.

One of the few contests bearing even remotely on Roosevelt's policies was in Kentucky where Gov. Keen Johnson, Democrat who succeeded Gov. A. B. Chandler when the latter resigned to be appointed to the Senate, sought election to the office he now holds. His Republican opponent, Circuit Judge King Swope, criticized the national adminstration in his campaign.

The only other gubernatorial election was in Mississippi, where Paul B. Johnson, Democrat, was unopposed.

National affairs were mentioned also in Philadelphia's mayoral race, Robert C. White, Democrat, was opposed by Robert E. Lambertson, Republican, who argued that a Democratic victory would diminish the national prestige of the Republican party.

Mayoral Contests

Detroit's mayoral contest involved disputed claims of labor support. Edward Jeffries, Jr., president of the city council, sought to defeat Mayor Richard Reading, who was elected two years ago over the opposition of the CIO.

The non-partisan race for mayor in Cleveland lay between Mayor Harold H. Burton and John E. O'-Donnell.

San Francisco voters had eight candidates from whom to choose a mayor. Angelo J. Rossi, the incumbent, sought a third four-year term; his principal opponent was Franck R. Havenner, Democratic Representative in Congress.

Trapping Season To Open Here Nov. 15th

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—Illinois landowners, tenants or their children can capture furbearing animals this year without a license on land where they actually reside—provided they secure a permit from the conservation department and don't use more than 25 traps.

The trapping season opens Nov. 15 in the northern and central zones and Dec. 1 in the southern zone.

The exemption was inserted during changes in the game laws by the legislature last spring. In addition to the permit, trap tags must also be obtained from the department. The tags are required for all trappers.

If more than 25 traps are used, a trapper must obtain the regular license costing two dollars.

'Hypnotic' Kisser to Prison for Long Time

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Jesse Ray Mowery, 43, whose two wives said he kissed with "hypnotic" power, was headed for Folsom prison today to serve two consecutive terms of from one to 10 years for grand theft.

He was convicted of stealing $3,000 from Mrs. Vivian Korth, 32, of Martinez, and $2,000 from Mrs. Aura Vina Smith, 41, of San Francisco, each of whom he wed about two years ago. He was sentenced yesterday.

The women testified his kisses had a strangely narcotic effect. A bigamy charge against Mowery was dropped.

Grasshoppers can travel at least 10 miles a day, and as far as 215 miles in 14 days, according to tests conducted in North Dakota.

The Douglas fir is named for the Scotch botanist, David Douglas, who visited the Pacific coast in the 19th century.

Professor Douglass of Arizona has made a lifetime study of tree rings. He has pieced together a tree ring sequence of 3000 years.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL

To Make Some Money

Everybody understands that railroads exist to provide transportation for the benefit of patrons, employment for the benefit of workers, purchasing power for the benefit of farmers, merchants and manufacturers, taxes for the benefit of governmental employes.

Amid this welter of confusing claims, let us never forget there is another benefit that lies at the foundation of all — the benefit which is conferred upon the railway owner as the result of being permitted to make some money.

Far, far too many railway owners are making no money today; some of them are lucky to keep their property out of the hands of the sheriff. Yet the investment represented in railway ownership is the one thing that provided the plant and stimulated the enterprise upon which all railway progress has been based.

Under private ownership the future of the railroads depends most closely upon adequate earnings — earnings that will maintain their credit and attract new capital for the further improvements that traffic will demand.

J. L. Beven
President

CHICAGO, November, 1939

Russia Displays Military Might in Preparedness

Mosmow, Nov. 7—(AP)—Soviet Russia capped her celebration of the 22nd anniversary of the communist revolution with a display of military might today as War Commissar Klementi Voroshiloff warned that though neutral, the nation "must be prepared."

Voroshiloff spoke briefly in red square, through which thousands of troops marched in a parade that lasted more than an hour and one-half.

"The Soviet government watches the international situation and will react to every event," Voroshiloff declared after praising the work of soviet troops in Poland and Outer Mongolia.

Mechanized units, including 206 medium-sized tanks, formed a large part of the military display.

Prefacing the parade was the keynote speech of Premier-Foreign Commissar Molotoff last night. He predicted the end of capitalism and inferentially urged communists in foreign countries to work toward that aim.

"The names of Lenin and Stalin arouse bright hopes in every corner of the world and resound as a call to fight for peace and the happiness of nations, to fight for complete emancipation from capitalism," Molotoff said.

Referring to economic crises since 1929, in which he specifically mentioned the United States, Great Britain and France, Molotoff suggested:

"Is any further proof needed to show that the internal affairs of capitalist countries are in a very bad way indeed, that discontent is naturally gathering among their exploited and oppressed masses and that everything is making for new and inevitable outbreaks against the power of capitalism?"

More than 2000 units, made up of more than 15,000 parts, go into the manufacture of an automobile.

The sun is one of the smallest and faintest of stars, despite its apparent size when viewed from the earth.

500,000 Seedlings to Be Furnished State

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 7—(AP)—State Forester Anton J. Tomasek said today that approximately 500,000 tree seedlings have been furnished for fall reforestation in Illinois.

Tomasek has charge of the state's program which he said is to aid in the reforestation of approximately 3,000,000 acres of land too eroded or infertile to produce agricultural crops profitably.

The state's present timber acreage is now approximately 3,500,000 as compared with approximately 15,000,000 of the total state territory of 36,000,000 acres which were covered with high quality timber a century ago.

Tomasek said that the forestry division expects to have some 7,000,000 tree seedlings available for planting next spring.

Thomas Says Campaign Will Be Meaningless

St. Louis, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Norman Thomas, thrice the socialist candidate for president, looks for the 1940 political campaign "to be rather unsatisfactory, tweedledum and tweedledee."

"The campaign will center around keeping out of war but that won't mean anything," Thomas said in an interview here. "I think Roosevelt can nominate himself and elect himself, if he wants to."

Thomas lectured at a forum last night.

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